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District council referendum: it's a vote for change

WEST Dorset District Council will revert back to a committee style system after more than 16,000 residents voted for a change in governance at a referendum last week.

A 2-to-1 vote backed change in the May 5th poll, which should mean an end to a handful of Conservatives having the privilege of majority rule, effectively deciding everything the authority does.

by Lottie Welch and Trevor Bevins

Matters came to a head when councillors were effectively barred from key decisions over the development of the Charles Street site in Dorchester, including the controversial multi-million pound council offices.

The referendum, which was triggered under the law by a petition, asked voters 'How would you like West Dorset District Council to be run?'

A total of 16,534 people voted for the option: 'By one or more committees made-up of elected councillors. This would be a change from how the council is run now'.

The other option, which attracted 8,811 votes, was: 'By a leader who is an elected councillor chosen by a vote of other elected councillors. This is how the council is run now.' The turnout was 32 per cent.

The change, to be implemented in May 2017, was outlined at the meeting of West Dorset District Council's full council in February and details are available at www.dorsetforyou.com/referendum-committees-west

The development of this outline will be carried out in the year ahead and changes to the constitution drawn up.

A strategy committee will replace the executive committee. This committee's size will be decided by the full council, but it could have a larger membership than the current seven.

The new strategy committee will also be politically proportionate, which means that seats are allocated in accordance with party size. West Dorset District Council currently has 30 Conservatives and 12 Liberal Democrats.

Councillor Anthony Alford, continues as leader of West Dorset District Council until this Thursday when as usual the annual meeting of council elects its leader for the year ahead.

He said: "All councillors across our council will continue to work hard for the people of West Dorset whatever committee system is in place. We look forward to continuing to serve our communities.

"The costs were regrettable, but we received a petition signed by over 6,000 people and under the law that triggered a referendum which required us to give the rest of the 80,000 electorate the democratic right to decide if they wanted the council to have different committee structures.

"We did all we could to limit costs and saved about £50,000 by holding the vote at the same time as the Police and Crime Commissioner elections."

Opponents have already said that the cost of the referendum could have been avoided by simply reverting to the committee system, which is used by the majority of councils and considered to be more democratic.

The Public First group, who triggered the referendum, see the result as a "real start to greater democracy" but still have concerns for how democratic the system will be if Dorset has two unitary authorities, a plan that was supported by county councillors in March.

John Grantham, Public First secretary, said: "The West Dorset referendum result is seen in West Dorset as a real start to greater democracy, a reminder that this can be achieved through the ballot box, and possibly an example to the younger generation of what can be achieved in this way.

"The elephant in the room of course is what happens when councils merge to form one or two Dorset unitaries. This will surely occur, if for no other reason that there are not the funds available to finance both tiers of government, and there is currently considerable overlap and confusion.

"Public First will focus on discussing and promoting the more democratic committee system for the unitary approach, and let us hope that the new unitary authority does not refuse to embrace the greater democracy that people are increasingly demanding – we don't want them forcing the public to have to retreat into using the Localism Act again, and another referendum, in order simply to achieve a more democratic system of governance.

"We must not allow a secretive one-party cabinet to slip in by the back door."

Ian Gosling, of the Vote Common Sense group who were against the change, said: "I am of course disappointed by the result – but that is democracy in action!

"It will be interesting to see how the change in the system of governance will work in practice but I predict that it will reduce transparency of decision making, whilst at the same time increasing costs and reducing the efficiency of the council."

In a separate development arising from work together with colleagues in the Dorset Councils Partnership, certain changes will be considered at West Dorset District Council's full council on May 12th to streamline governance arrangements and bring them into alignment with the council's partners.

The changes to the constitution have been drafted and can be implemented immediately. More details are available at www.dorsetforyou.com/committees/west

More information about the changes to the committee structure, which were proposed and now have been given the go-ahead, is available at www.dorsetforyou.com/referendum-committees-west

JOHN Grantham, the driving force behind the Public First group which campaigned for a referendum to change the way the district council makes decisions

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VALERIE Jepps lives in Beaminster with her husband Chris after they moved there in 2007.

She grew up in a small lochside village in Scotland where her dad was a local scout master so she had lots of 'big brothers' and eventually a younger sister.

After school she attended a teacher training college in Glasgow and graduated as a primary school teacher in 1970. She met her husband whilst working as a barmaid while he was in the Royal Navy and they married in 1972.

They moved to Hampshire in 1972 where Valerie taught in a local primary school. When Chris was drafted into the submarine service they returned to Scotland where she taught for the next 20 years.

Although they do not have children they have nieces, nephews and godchildren and have always been involved with their activities. When Chris left the Navy in 1985 he went to Glasgow University and also became a teacher.

● ARE you a member of any local organisations?
I have always loved music and dancing. Also I love live performances, the theatre, concerts, etc. I love singing with Raucous Chorus and until recently was a member of the Beaminster Gallery Quire. I am a keen member of the WI, I was treasurer of the Beaminster branch for six years.

● WHAT is your favourite show?
I have been lucky enough to have seen "Cats" in Edinburgh, "The Phantom" on Broadway, "Carmen" in Verona and Cliff in Cardiff amongst many musical treats, but the best ever was watching my 17-year-old godson, Jamie, playing Danny in "Grease". That was a school production but he will graduate from The Royal Scottish Conservatoire this July. Proud or what? I love DT8 too, and karaoke!

● WHAT do you like to do in your spare time?
We love to travel; I particularly enjoy cruises.

We have been involved with the Beaminster Twinning Association for many years and I am currently its chairman. We have a wide circle of friends both locally and in Scotland and enjoy an active social life. I would have loved to have been a party planner!

● WHAT is your favourite event within the groups you are a part of?
One of the groups within Beaminster WI is the drama group. A few years ago we produced a Christmas entertainment in which I appeared as Santa's ostler (I do have a working knowledge of 'ostleries!). I dressed in my father's kilt complete with very ornate sporran and wore a bonnet with ginger hair attached... oh, and pink Doc Martin boots. "Jock" has made several appearances at Burns suppers since! Another time we put on an Olde Thyme Music Hall, which was great fun.

I think my favourite part of the twinning is when our hosts in St James invite all their family to meet us and three generations share a three hour lunch with lots of "Franglais" conversation.

I also enjoy our fundraisers here in Beaminster especially the barbeques in the sunshine! Raucous Chorus is a real tonic and I love my weekly fix, joining like-minded singers for a couple of hours of fun. Some of us continue the evening at the Fleet Club when impromptu raucousness often occurs!

● WHAT is your favourite thing about living in Beaminster?
The beauty of living in Beaminster is many faceted. The town is surrounded by fabulous Dorset scenery and is served well by quality local shops, restaurants , pubs and cafes.

Beaminster Festival, the Monthly Moviola, the Jazz Nights and the many clubs and societies all add to the richness of life in Beaminster . But, for me, it is the friendly Beaminster residents who make our town so special.

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view from newspapers

Hopes to keep youth centre still alive

by Lottie Welch
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EFFORTS to keep Bridport's youth centre up and running are underway with a new trust being established with the hope that they can take over the building later this month.

The Bridport Youth and Community Centre Trust is being established to help keep Bridport Youth and Community Centre open. With the building at risk of closure due to changes to Dorset County Council's Youth Service, the interim trust members have formally applied to have the centre transferred to the new Trust.

Cllr Ros Kayes, chairman of the interim trust, said: "On Wednesday, January 13th, Dorset County Council's cabinet took a decision changing the way it provides youth services and withdrawing from the management of youth centres including the Bridport Youth Centre.

"Rather than see the building close, we have taken practical steps to keep our local services going.

"The development of the Bridport Youth and Community Centre Trust is the first stage to making this happen.

"So far we have set up an interim trust, written a business plan and submitted a formal application for the building to be transferred from Dorset County Council to the Bridport Youth and Community Centre Trust. We are keen to ensure the community are aware of our intention to keep the building open."

Bridport Youth and Community Centre Trust should know if they can take over the building on May 25th.

If this happens, the trust will then be formally established as a charitable body and will work to ensure that the building remains open and accessible – keeping as much of the current activities in place as possible.

In support of this, Bridport Town Council has already provided the trust with £10,000 to support the opening of the building and £5,000 to support the continuation of generic youth work/youth club. West Dorset District Council has also provided a grant of £1,000 towards the project.

Cllr Sarah Williams, Leader of Bridport Town Council, said: "Bridport Town Council is keen to support our valued local services.

"The support for the youth centre is a priority in our new town plan. As well as allocating funding, we are also working with the interim trust and with our colleagues in Dorset County Council to help secure the future of the centre."

The interim trust is continuing to develop its action plan to help the centre avoid closure.

Cllr Ros Kayes added: "We have been busy submitting funding applications. We are also still looking for passionate people to join the new trust and to make a difference and play a role in the future of the Bridport Youth and Community Centre.

"We are very lucky to have two new trustees, Christine Turner and Jenny Lawrence to join myself and Cllr Kelvin Clayton on the interim body and I am very pleased that the recently formed West Dorset Young Adults Representation Group has said that they would like to be represented on the trust".

Joe Hewetson from the West Dorset Young Adults Representation Group, said: "I am pleased that that there is such a committed group of people dedicated to keeping the youth centre going, as it is a very important asset for local young people. I look forward to being part of the group later this summer"

The interim trust will also be meeting the Bridport Youth Council, made up of representatives of local schools, who recently discussed the youth centre and how young people in the area can help.

Cllr Kayes added: "To help us achieve our vision for the centre, we would love to hear from other people who are able to give their time and be part of the new trust.

"We are particularly looking for people with experience of project management / marketing, finance, technology and fundraising".

If you would be interested in being part of the trust, please contact Bridport Town Clerk, Bob Gillis, on 01308 456722 or email r.gillis@bridport-tc.gov.uk.

PLANS to retain the town's youth centre continue with the formation of a new trust that hopes to take over the building later this month. Pictured above are Bridport Youth and Community Centre Trustees: (back, left to right) Jenny Lawrence, Christine Turner and Kelvin Clayton; (front, left to right) Ros Kayes and representatives from West Dorset Young Adults Representation Group James Bodington and Joe Hewetson

Collision on St Swithins Road

A WOMAN was taken to hospital last week after her car collided with a gate in St Swithins Road.

Emergency services were called just after 8am on Thursday, May 5th to the incident that involved one car.

A spokesperson for Dorset Police said: "The car, a black Honda, collided with a gate and was registered to a Dorchester woman.

"She was taken to Dorset County Hospital and is not believed to have suffered serious injuries. Recovery attended to remove the vehicle."

Fire crews were also called to help assist with the incident.

A spokesperson for Dorset and Wiltshire Fire and Rescue Service said: "We were called at 8.07am to St Swithins Road outside Dorset Vehicle Rentals.

"Both crews from Bridport attended the one vehicle road traffic collision involving a lady driver, possibly in her 50s.

"On our part it was a case of making the vehicle safe, traffic management and an extra pair of hands for the ambulance service. We didn't need to cut her free.

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One woman was taken to hospital after her car collided with a gate on St Swithins Road *Photo by TIM RUSS*

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JURASSIC Fields Music Festival is holding a duck race on Sunday, May 29th as a fundraiser for the festival, and will be selling ducks ahead of the event on the next two weekends.

The organisers are hoping the public will once again support this increasingly popular music festival, which this year will take place on the evening of Friday, July 8th and Saturday, July 9th.

They will be hoping to sell all 1,000 ducks which are currently going through their final training programme in readiness to boost their funds, and are just looking for someone to hire them for the quick swin down the River Brit.

They will be on sale outside the Bridport Tourist Information Centre at Bucky Doo on Saturday, May 21st and the following Saturday (28th) where there will also be a stall at Morrisons.

Tickets cost just £2 each or three for £5 and you could win a first prize of £250, with a second prize of £100 and third prize of £50.

You can buy tickets online via Paypal by visiting http://jurassicfields.com/duck-race-fund raiser

Last year, one of the ducks purchased online won the £50 third prize.

Winners will be notified within two working days of the race.

On race day you will not only be able to watch your duck's progress from the bridge at Am-Safe Bridport in St Swithin's Road at 1pm, but also sample some the bands taking part in the festival who will be playing after the finish at the bridge at the back of Tanners in West Allington.

Dorset Fire and Rescue Service will be present with an engine collecting the ducks.

Music will be provided by festival bands Shelbys Elbows, Mutter Slater and resident DJ 'Tatoo'd Beat Messiah' who will be performing at the back of Tanners from 2pm.

There will be a BBQ and raffle throughout the afternoon.

Come along and support the event and enjoy a sneak preview of a few of the bands that will be participating in this year's festival which is a community event and is not for profit.

Eighty per cent of any profit generated from this year's event will be reinvested to hopefully improve and expand next year's festival, with the remainder split equally between local music projects in and around West Dorset, and local charities/organisations.

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Rest easy, there are always volunteers

An open letter to Oliver Letwin MP

HOW comfortable it must be to sit in a world of benign self-satisfaction and well-being and talk about hard-working volunteers breathing life back into old landmarks, a nice, feel-good moment of people doing things for the benefit of the community.

It's just as well there are so many volunteers around because, mostly, they are having to pick up the slack in society that you and your cabinet colleagues are creating. While you preside over a flawed and unnecessary 'austerity' programme, your constituents and those in the rest of Dorset are suffering the effects of your cutbacks; benefits, education, childrens' services, just to name three that you know are going through difficult times. Organisations and residents are having to dig deeper into their own reserves to help plug the gap in services that you are leaving increasingly underfunded.

You know perfectly well that Dorset has been the lowest funded County in the country, bar one, for years which is based on a grossly unfair formula and you have achieved absolutely nothing in redressing the balance for us. There is no fat left to cut – services that are not statutory are having to be sacrificed or are being cut to the bone. You've done your best to diminish the value of Local Authorities, you continue to espouse the privatisation of the NHS and the enforced roll-out of the Academies programme. Advisors in the education department, professional, skilled and accountable who do know what education and teaching is about, will not be available locally to advise and guide schools and teachers.

But that's OK Oliver – there'll be plenty of volunteers clamouring at the school gates, running the bus services, helping out childrens' services, fund-raising, looking after the food banks so that you can rest easy with your rose-tinted benificence intact and your conscience unassailed by the realities of life that the rest of us have to deal with. That isn't what you were elected as MP for, is it...?

CHRIS TURNER, by email

A way to improve the bus pass system?

WE have seen and heard much recently about the national bus pass scheme which for some years has allowed people to travel free on buses. This is a fantastic scheme which has enabled sections of society to travel when perhaps they would not have done so or been able to. The scheme has been administered by the local authority on behalf of the Government so that it can be used nationally. As we are now going through a period of austerity in many local authority and national government areas surely it is time to review this bus pass system. If the bus pass system were to be organised in a similar way to the Railcard system it would still bring the benefits of subsidised travel to many sectors of society without burdening local authority or central government departments.

I would like to suggest that the bus pass system remains in use but is administered slightly differently as follows in order to achieve these savings in finance and manpower resources.

At the present time the system is administered by personnel within the local authority where these labour costs are absorbed into the general administration of that authority. If, however, a small number of personnel were employed purely to administer the bus pass system their costs could be met by revenue received from participants purchasing the passes. This would then mean that the staff who, at the moment, administer the system within the local authority could be utilised for other aspects to benefit the community.

The initial pass could be purchased for a token fee (perhaps £10 or £15 annually) and this would allow holders to travel at reduced cost (perhaps half fares).

The advantages of this modified system would be that pass holders will still get reduced travel, the bus companies would get well deserved revenue with a possible increase in passenger number as people will still wish to travel by bus.

If this system was applied I feel sure it would firstly be a money saver for the local authority, allow people to travel at a reduced fee and encourage bus companies, particularly in rural areas, to prosper and provide better services for our communities.

DOUGLAS BEAZER, Beaminster

Thanks for voting for 'greater democracy'

THANK you to literally hundreds of people who have stepped up as individuals to support and work for Public First in the cause of greater democracy in West Dorset – people from right across the political spectrum. And the tens of thousands of people who voted…

The 65 per cent vote for change to the 'Committee' system clearly exceeded our expectations – a winning margin of almost 2 to 1.

It's an exciting result because it gives everyone – hopefully including some younger people – the knowledge that they really can change things through the ballot box.

It is regrettable that the council required us to go to a referendum in order to get the change... £95,000 had to be spent to nail this issue.

Last autumn we kept hinting that we had well over the required number of petition signatures and that two years ago Canterbury City Council – seeing the public's petition signatures mounting – had themselves agreed to convert to 'Committee' voluntarily, so the Canterbury petition never had to be presented, avoiding the costs of the petition and the referendum.

We did try to meet with the council in November before presenting our petition, but they declined the offer.

This process however has enabled the whole district to learn more about the alternative systems, and we discovered that as people understood the differences better that they mainly opted for the more proportional and democratic 'Committee' system.

The publication by the Council's own internal auditors of the draft report – 'Charles Street Review' which has a link from our website www.publicfirstgroup.co.uk – confirmed much of what we had been saying.

It concluded there was a 'lack of transparency'; 'consultation felt more like a tick-box exercise rather than a willingness to genuinely take on board opinions and incorporate these'; and 'decisions appeared to 'arrive' rather than through discussion and consultation'; etc…

I have written to the then leader to invite him to discuss these points publicly as these issues need focus and judgement on if we are all to move ahead together.

Thank you again to all.

The tide will surely continue to turn in favour of greater democracy.

JOHN GRANTHAM, Secretary, Public First

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BRIDPORT Hat Festival committee (pictured) are busy organising this year's programme of events, with plans well underway

Hat Festival plans started

PLANS for this year's Bridport Hat Festival are well underway with a few new faces on the committee – including Tuppence the dog.

The main festival day will be Saturday, September 3rd, with the mass photo in Bucky Doo Square at 1pm.

There are events from Thursday to Sunday with live music every day around the town, including an opening event on Friday evening at the Electric Palace. New for this year is Saint Marys' bell-ringing group holding a 'Tower Open Day' on Saturday at 10.30am to 12noon, giving a unique opportunity for a view of Bridport.

Also new for this year is a music stage from 10.30am to 1pm run by the Art & Vintage Quarter at St. Michael's Trading Estate.

This music stage will offer, for a small fee, a "minute of fame", including the use of the stage and sound system with every performance filmed and uploaded to YouTube. Show the world that Bridport's got talent!

The live music, talks, tea dancing, dog competitions, refreshment stalls, and competitions for best hat and millinery promise to make this a great weekend. Up-to-date information can be found on the website www.bridporthatfest.org.

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Martyn Underhill reelected as PCC

DORSET'S independent Police and Crime Commissioner, Martyn Underhill, has been elected for a second term.

The former police officer says the vote for him in last week's election is proof that local people want to keep politics out of policing.

The UKIP candidate, Lester Taylor, and Labour's Patrick Canavan were both ruled out on first vote choices with 21,086 and 20,169 votes respectfully.

On the second count, which included voters' second choice candidates, Mr Underhill polled 66,660 and Andrew Graham for the Conservatives 44,548 votes.

Overall turnout was 22.54 per cent, compared to a 16.3 per cent turn out in 2012.

Mr Underhill said he was disappointed that so little money had been spent by the Government promoting the PCC elections and had come across people who were unaware that the post was up for election. But despite the lack of promotion around the elections, more people turned out to vote.

"What I want to do is to continue with the progress we've made in the last four years," said Mr Underhill.

Amongst his aims are to reduce the number of victims of crime, to cut down on re-offending and to find ways of increasing police responsiveness to the public.

Flood drama as first cygnets arrive safely at Abbotsbury Swannery

THE first baby swans of this year have hatched safely at Abbotsbury Swannery – oblivious to a dramatic race against time to save their nests from flooding.

Very high spring tides and a strong wind threatened to swamp the waterside nesting ground, just as the first cygnets began to make their appearance.

The Abbotsbury swanherds swung into action and did what they could to bolster up the nests and avoid the eggs being washed away.

Swanherd Steve Groves said: "We have had very high spring tides this weekend, which is very late in the season. Combined with a strong south-easterly wind, the water was really being pushed up the Fleet.

"Usually if swans sense water lapping up to their nest they will reinforce them, but obviously at this stage there isn't time for that, so we do what we can for them by pegging the nests in place with willow stakes and extra reed.

"Happily all the seven cygnets in nest number one are safe and dry and being looked after by their mother.

"The tides are still high, so we are keeping a close watch on the other nests.

"We are looking forward to cygnets hatching throughout May, with the frequency increasing and reaching a peak for the next bank holiday weekend at the end of the month."

Despite the drama, the weekend's warm weather adds weight to the Abbotsbury legend that the arrival of the first cygnet marks the start of summer.

The Abbotsbury swans have this year established around 87 nests. The swans lay their eggs at two day intervals and hatching takes place 35 days after the final egg of the clutch has been laid.

Each female or 'pen' lays an average of six eggs, up to a maximum of 13.

Visitors to the Swannery can walk safely along paths among the nests and spot the cygnets as well as take part in the twice-a-day mass-feeding of the birds.

Swanherds feed the adult swans twice a day on wheat grains while the cygnets are fed three times daily on chick crumb, a crushed pellet full of protein. Their parents also feed the cygnets algae, other vegetation and grubs.

THE first baby swans of 2016 arrive safely at Abbotsbury Swannery despite flood drama

BACstage take stage at Poole Lighthouse

MEMBERS of Bridport Youth Theatre group BACstage perform 'Gargantua' at Poole Lighthouse arts centre as part of the National Theatre Connections competition

MEMBERS of the Bridport Youth Theatre group BACstage performed their National Theatre Connections play called *Gargantua* at Poole Lighthouse arts centre.

It is the story of a giant baby, the result of a two-year pregnancy, who grows and grows, developing an insatiable appetite.

When the government finds out about him, they remove him to a secret laboratory for military purposes.

Each year BACstage participates in National Theatre Connections. It is a competition for young people to perform a play at their own venue then at a partner one.

Under director Nikki McCretton, the group chose *Gargantua* and first performed it in March at the Bridport Arts Centre to an audience of family and friends.

The scale of the giant baby was demonstrated by a puppet, made by Holly Miller – who runs local puppet making workshops and also made the props –whose image was projected live by camera onto a screen on the stage.

It was operated by a rotation of cast members, the technical challenge was to coordinate the interaction between the onscreen images of the baby with the actors onstage.

Speaking of the experience, cast member Heather Lambourn said: "It feels like being a professional company.

"It has opened my eyes to what it would be like being a professional actor and it has made me want to become one even more."

Ruby Vogel, another cast member, said: "I think doing the National Theatre Connections is such a fun and inspirational thing for teenagers to do because you get to experience a day in the day of an actor and it is great being part of a drama group, really getting to know them."

Pop-up exhibition

A BRIDPORT photographer and an artist staged a pop-up exhibition over the Bank Holiday Weekend at The Bomb Shelter Gallery in Beer.

Photographer Sam Rose from Bridport and artist Nikki Taylor from Yeovil presented a collaboration called Talking Waves, based on images taken at West Bay.

Sam and Nikki are photographed preparing the exhibition

West Dorset Mencap Annual General Meeting

MEMBERS of the West Dorset Mencap will be holding their annual general meeting at the Conservative Club in North Street, Bridport, on Tuesday, May 17th at 7.30pm.

The evening will begin with a welcome from the chairman Linda Simpson and refreshments will be available.

The speakers for the evening will be managing director Suzanne Westhead and Neil Bond of Tricuro, who provide social care to adults with a range of needs across Dorset.

The meeting will follow after the speakers for those who would like to stay.

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'Roosters' rescue RNLI

by Lottie Welch
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FAMILIES, friends and music fans enjoyed a day filled with live performances at the Bridport branch of the RNLI's May Day fundraiser on Monday, May 2nd.

Local schools, bands and musicians played in the Electric Palace throughout the day and into the evening to raise money for the charity.

Martin Newbury, chairman of the Bridport and District branch of the RNLI, said: "The day went very well despite low ticket sales.

"Those who did attend seemed to enjoy themselves, they were all dancing by the end of the evening.

"All the musicians said that the atmosphere was good and that they enjoyed performing at the event.

"It looks at though we even made a small profit!"

Audiences enjoyed performances from Bridport Primary School, Salway Ash Primary School and the Sir John Colfox Academy along with Shelby's Elbows, Dangerous Curves, The Side Kicks, the Fat Marrow Blues Band and DT8.

Local band Acoustic Rooster were also called in to play at the last minute, despite playing four gigs in the east and north of the county over the whole weekend.

Chris Deacon, of Acoustic Rooster, said: "On the Sunday afternoon I received a telephone call from the RNLI asking if we could come in and rescue, so to speak, as one band had dropped out due to illness.

"After considerable re-jigging by the other members of the band who had engagements on the Monday at different venues, they agreed to shorten their performances and return to Bridport in order to fill the void, which they accomplished brilliantly – one member arrived for the slot with just ten minutes to draw his breath before playing.

"So Acoustic Rooster, who regularly support the RNLI events and fundraise on their own volition, turned the tables and did a bit of rescue work themselves."

RNLI mascot Stormy Stan with the volunteers who helped make the day a success

Salway Ash Primary School choir

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New town shopping bags on sale

BRIDPORT Town Council are please to announce the launch of the town's new shopping bag.

Following on from the success of the new official town guide, the market leaflet and the car park signs, the bag has been designed with the same look and feel.

Promoting the town and the market, the new bag is available to buy for £2 from the town's market traders and the Bridport Tourist Information Centre and is available with a short or long handle.

The bag will be officially launched on Saturday, May 14th at Bucky Doo Square at 10.30am, in time for the 'Love Your Local Market' fortnight from May 17th to May 31st.

Town surveyor Daryl Chambers, on behalf of the town council's market and business liaison team, said: "With an excellent mix of independent and multiple retailers as well as the lively twice weekly street market, we should all be proud of Bridport.

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Clipper Teas reveals plans for new base

CLIPPER Teas has submitted plans to consolidate their three sites in Beaminster, allowing space for up to 45 homes.

The company want to condense their three buildings on Broadwindsor Road in to one large building and use the other two sites for housing.

A planning application to erect a factory extension for Clipper Teas' production, storage and distribution, along with a outline application for the development of up to 45 homes has been submitted to West Dorset District Council.

The Beaminster business, owned by Wessanen UK, invited local residents to their site in March to unveil their proposed development plans and gather feedback.

Patrick Cairns, CEO of Wessanen UK, said: "We are really excited about our plans for the Clipper factory in Beaminster and are delighted by the feedback that we have received from our neighbours during our community consultation events – which has been overwhelmingly positive.

"A planning application has now been submitted and recently registered by West Dorset District Council.

"We look forward to working with the council and interested parties to secure an appropriate planning decision.

"We have worked closely with the local community and planning experts to develop a plan which will genuinely enhance the Beaminster environment whilst creating real long term social and economic benefits.

"We have long term roots in the Beaminster area and would be delighted to be able to further invest in a facility that we have put more than £4million in the last four years, and we have been really grateful for the support and encouragement that we have received from the local community."

The application states that having production split across three sites is "inefficient" and means "unnecessary high energy usage and excessive fixed building costs".

By consolidating them all into a new and upgraded building would "provide the company with the space it needs to update its manufacturing processes and invest further in new production line machinery".

Mr Cairns added: "We have highlighted how our current operation is compromised by the fact that the three sites are divided across two public roads and raw materials have to be transported between each site – a logistical burden.

"Also, the industrial units' small size and their layout further hinders Clipper's manufacturing requirements.

"In response, the proposed development will redevelop our sites north of the road for residential development.

"The funding from this development would be used to consolidate Clipper's tea production, storage and administration on the south side of the road, allowing us to be competitive on a UK and international basis.

"It is exciting because it would ensure, if the plan is approved, long term employment security and prospect of growth, whilst freeing up brownfield space for much needed housing."

Residents have until May 28th to submit comments on the application, which can be found at www.dorsetforyou.co.uk

Beaminster business Clipper Teas have submitted a planning application to consolidate their three sites into one and to provide up to 45 homes on the other two sites

Vandals target trading estate

VANDALS have been tagging buildings at the St Michael's Trading Estate – with three areas now subject to graffiti.

In the past month, three cases have been reported by Martin Ridley of Haywards & Co, who own the site.

Peter Smith of Bridport Neighbourhood Policing Team, said: "Mr Ridley has had unwanted tagging on buildings.

"He has provided space before for graffiti and would rather work with kids than let it get out of hand.

"We are happy from our position if he wants to work with kids rather than have police support but if it continues we will deal with it as criminal damage."

Mr Ridley said he was disappointed that people felt the buildings were "fair game".

He said: "There was a West Dorset District Council initiative called 'Good Graffiti' to create spaces for artists – a go to area for them.

"We were asked to use the building here; there was even an award for the best graffiti.

"But we now have three areas with it [the vandalism]. The last two have come in the last two weeks and the third around a month or so ago.

"The space is open, we don't have gates and it is difficult to stop people coming in and that's the way it is.

"It is disappointing people feel the site is fair game and it spoils it for everyone else and our residents are not happy about it."

Forthcoming events

THE town council have a number of upcoming events and the community are invited to attend.

On Saturday, May 14th, Bridport mayor, Councillor Sandra Brown will be presenting cheques to the Richard Ely Trust for Young Musicians and the RNIB – two charities she has supported through her mayoral year. This will be presented at 11am in Bucky Doo Square.

The official mayor making will take place on Thursday, May 19th at 7pm in Bridport Town Hall, in which a new mayor will be elected.

On Saturday, May 21st at 10.30am in Bucky Doo Square there will be an event to promote 'Love Your Local Market'.

On Sunday, May 29th there will be Bridport's civic commemoration of the centenary of the Battle of Jutland at Holy Trinity Church in Bradpole at 11am.

Cream tea to raise funds for church

AN AFTERNOON of cream teas and homemade cakes is being held at Strongate Farm in Salway Ash this Sunday (May 15th) from 2pm to 5pm, by kind permission of Bob Huxter and family.

The proceeds will go to Holy Trinity Church in Salway Ash and there will be a plant stall and raffle.

All cakes and scones will have been made by the ladies in the village.

There is plenty of parking on the farm, however if anyone is feeling energetic they can park at Salway Ash Village Hall or school and follow the signs to the cream teas.

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Public urged to support Air Ambulance's coast-to-coast challenge

DORSET and Somerset Air Ambulance is holding its sixth annual Coast to Coast (C2C) Cycle Challenge on Sunday, May 15th and is hoping that the public will come out in support of the 600 cyclists taking part.

The event, which is not a race, involves a challenging 54 mile cycle ride which starts at Watchet Harbour in the North and ends at West Bay in the South, following a scenic route through the Somerset and Dorset countryside.

A staggered start will see the stronger cyclists set off first at 11.00am with the less experienced riders departing at 11.15am.

A shorter 11 mile route starts at the Royal Oak public house in Drimpton at 2.00pm and also finishes as West Bay.

Last year's event saw people of all ages and abilities take part, raising over £64,000 for the life-saving charity.

With only 600 places available, the event was sold out within three days of on-line registration being open.

Even the Charity's Chief Executive Officer, Bill Sivewright and medical lead Dr. Phil Hyde have set themselves challenges this year.

Dr. Phil Hyde has been working with the Dorset and Somerset Air Ambulance for over three years.

Actively involved in pre-hospital care since 2003, Dr Hyde also works at Southampton Children's Hospital as an intensive care consultant.

Wanting to play their part, Phil and his wife Hannah, together with their children George, three, and Emily, five, will cycle the 11 mile route on a tandem bike with a tag-along and a front seat.

Bill Sivewright is usually seen behind the scenes helping to organise the event on the day. Last year he rode to support a friend but this year he is taking part in support of the Charity.

He said: "After coming up with the idea of running the event five years ago, I trailed the route a number of times but for the first few years I was far too heavily involved with the admin to ride on the day.

"Last year I rode to support Clive Dickin, National Director of the Association of Air Ambulances, however this year I'm doing it for the Charity.

"It is a fantastic occasion and the atmosphere is incredible. I am sure it will be an extremely emotional day all round and the aches and pains will definitely be worthwhile.

"The event seems to get better year on year and that is mainly due to the wonderful team of volunteers, members of the public and local businesses who help us with marshalling and keeping the cyclists safe.

"Our thanks go to the event sponsors and the various pit stop locations along the route, without their help and support, we simply could not put on such a large scale event.

"Finally, a very big thank you to all the cyclists taking part who are encouraging their friends and family to sponsor them.

"Let's hope the weather stays fine and we raise as much as possible and make this the best Coast to Coast Cycle Challenge yet!"

Supporters will be able to encourage the Coast to Coast cyclists at the starting point along the route or at the finishing line celebrations at East Beach Car Park in West Bay.

As well as individual sponsorship of the cyclists, the Charity has set up two other ways in which donations can be made in support of the event. These can be made online by visiting: www.dsairambulance.org.uk or by mobile phone by texting: COAS16 £5 to 70070.

More information about the Dorset and Somerset Air Ambulance can be found by visiting: www.dsairambulance.org.uk or by calling: 01823 669604.

THE public are being urged to come out and support the riders of the Dorset and Somerset Air Ambulance's Coast to Coast Cycle Challenge which takes place this Sunday from Watchet Harbour in Somerset to West Bay

School awarded Green Flag

MEMBERS of the Bridport Primary Eco Committee, pictured, proudly hold the Green Flag that was awarded to the school following a visit by an Eco Schools' assessor.

Eco-Schools is an award programme that encourages pupils to engage with environmental and sustainable development issues and guides schools on their sustainable journey, providing a framework to help embed these principles into the heart of school life.

This award recognises the Eco Committee's hard work and effort over the last two years to improve the school's environment, to reduce waste and energy consumption and raise awareness about environmental issues across the whole school.

Churches' Sunday tea and chat

SUNDAY tea and chat organised by Churches Together in Bridport takes place on the third Sunday of the month – except in August and December – in the main hall of Bridport United Church, East Street, from 3pm to 4.30pm.

The next event is being held on Sunday, May 15th and the public are welcome to come along and enjoy free tea with entertainment and make new friends.

For more information call Tom on 01308 455674.

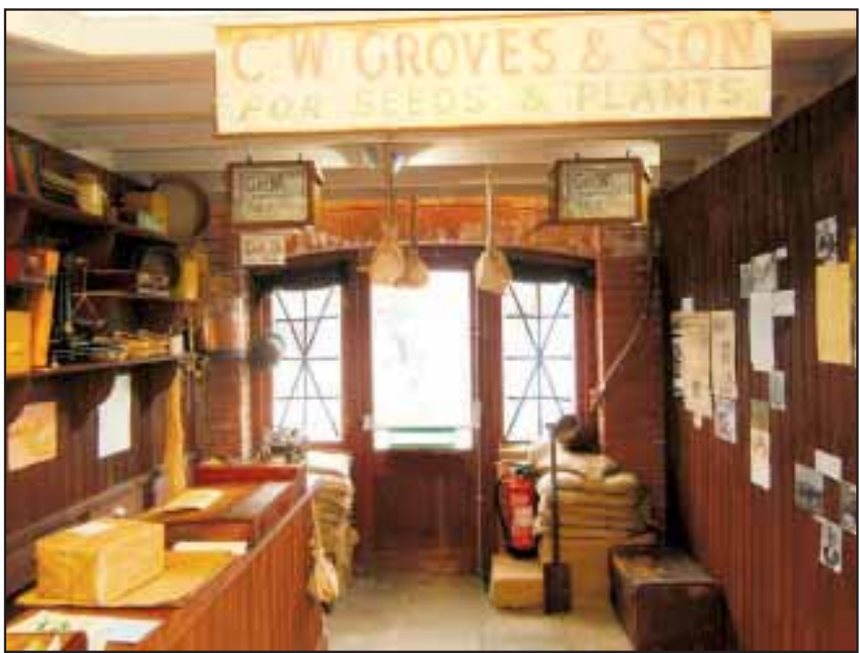
Back to the future at Groves

WHEN you currently walk through the main entrance of Groves Nurseries in Bridport it's like stepping back in time.

Celebrating their 150th anniversary this year, the present Groves family decided to delve into their collection of memorabilia from over the years and replicate the Groves shop of the 1930s.

Old family photos sit alongside the old cash till, old seed catalogues and advertising posters with panelled walls, old tools all adding to the atmosphere. There is even an old pipe, smoked by current managing director Charlie Groves' grandfather, resting on the counter as if someone has gone off to serve a customer. Past the old shop customers are then 'back to the future' in the Groves Nurseries of today.

To celebrate the journey from 1866 to 2016 there will be promotions and events throughout the year for customers to enjoy.



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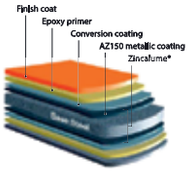

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Fat Leaf

FAT LEAF is well known nationwide for their excellent quality wooden planters and outdoor furniture, but they have also been making a name for themselves in the world of landscaping.

Fat Leaf has taken on lots of landscaping projects over the years but the recent merger with Country Gardens of Bridport has meant that they can now take on much more landscaping work, locally and further afield.

A dedicated team of landscapers now operates under the Fat Leaf umbrella, with stone masons, carpenters, furniture designers and builder's all collaborating together to design and build unique outdoor spaces.

Recent commercial projects in London have been an overwhelming success for the business and pushed them further in terms of their design and functionality and even seen one of their Beer Gardens in Time Out's "Best London Beer Gardens" feature last summer.

Fat Leaf have collaborated with other local businesses including Townsend Engineering and Eypedown Sawmill to create bespoke wood & steel furniture and outdoor structures. These collaborations have opened lots of doors and the projects coming in are getting more and more adventurous.

Ross Clarke from Fat Leaf said, "It's great that our London work has been so well received, but we want to bring some of that design flair to Dorset, we are keen to showcase some of our designs in a more domestic setting and build a strong landscaping reputation locally as well as in London."

Ashley Cooper Turf and Transport

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James Bond draw win

EDWARD Kennedy, from Cherry Tree, Bridport, was the winner of a James Bond prize draw at Bridport Electric Palace. He and his friends were given VIP treatment as they watched a classic double bill of Golden Eye and Skyfall, enjoying a welcoming drink as well as popcorn and ice creams on the house.

Mr Kennedy, pictured second left, is with his wife Tina, pictured second right, his mum Jo, pictured right, and friend Donna Challis.

TV antique expert to speak in town

MEMBERS of the Bridport Area Development Trust – the group behind the redevelopment of Bridport Literary and Scientific Institute (LSI) – are inviting people to an evening with Paul Atterbury on Tuesday, May 24th at Bridport Town Hall.

Mr Atterbury is a freelance writer and lecturer specialising in 19th and 20th century art and design.

He is perhaps best known for his appearances on the BBC TV programme *Antiques Roadshow*.

Amanda Streatfeild, fundraising chair for the LSI restoration project, said: "We are delighted that Paul has agreed to spend an evening with us, raising funds for the restoration of the LSI.

"He is a fascinating speaker and his extensive knowledge of 19th and 20th century art and design has particular relevance to the LSI, which was once a well-respected art school.

"Fra Newbery, teacher and mentor of Charles Rennie Mackintosh and widely recognised as the driving force behind the Glasgow arts and crafts movement, trained at the LSI before later becoming Director of Glasgow School of Art'."

Tickets for the evening cost £6 and are on sale now at Bridport Tourist Information Centre with money going to support the restoration of the LSI. A wine bar will also be available.

To keep informed about the project to restore the LSI and future developments, contact Crystal Johnson at crystal@bridportadt.org.uk to join the mailing list.

To make a donation visit www.bridportadt.org.uk/donate

PAUL Atterbury, known for his appearances on BBC TV programme *Antiques Roadshow*, will be in Bridport for an evening to help raise money for the redevelopment of the Bridport LSI

Netherbury WI thank public for their support

MEMBERS of Netherbury WI would like to thank everyone who helped and supported them over the last year.

It was the groups first year and they had fun learning new skills, making friends, sharing meals and having a chat over a glass of wine or cup of tea.

They hope to continue building on its successes over the coming year.

Meetings are now being held on Monday evenings in the Reading Room in Netherbury at 7.30pm.

The group have lots of activities lined up, including on Monday, May 16th at 7.30pm, when they will be spending the evening making hanging braskets – flower-filled bra creations.

Visitors are welcome to join for the evening at a cost of £5 and to book a place call Sarah on 01308 488264 or email netherburywi@gmail.com

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Extra hours may be purchased at £3.80 per hour. Please contact the office for further information.

We will be open from 9-3.00 on every school day and you may book any combination of morning and afternoon sessions, with or without lunchtimes (depending on availability). Our Beach School programme will be a major part of the children's outdoor experiences

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Local students have the Edge

THREE students at the Sir John Colfox Academy have been awarded for all their hard work both in school and in the community.

The students completed the work as part of the Edge project – a framework for schools which helps students develop personal and employability skills, including leadership, organisation, initiative, resilience and communication – and had to complete eight activities within the school and community.

Year 11 students Amber and Ellie, along with Year Nine student Sam, all received awards after demonstrating they had the Edge.

As part of the programme, Amber was house captain, volunteered at an Oxfam charity shop, acted as an Edge ambassador on school open days and has raised significant amounts of money for the refugee crisis, Hope UK and Save the Children. As well as the Edge, Amber has also received The Dorset Award – through working at the library during the summer, which is awarded to young people who achieves something significant from their contract with a youth project – The Gold Lions Award, presented by the Bridport Lions Club for volunteering in excess of 100 hours and a community award at a senior prize giving.

Ellie has also played a big role in leadership initiatives at the school.

For the past two years she has been a house captain, organising numerous charity events and supporting young members of the school with day to day issues and also completing the Edge as an Edge ambassador.

She has been at the forefront of the schools' anti bullying initiative, supporting teachers and helping to mentor younger members of the school. She has also taken part in numerous school plays.

Year Nine student Sam is the youngest student in the country to complete the programme.

He is an Edge ambassador and has given up his own time to help younger students complete the Edge award.

He has taken part in many charity events, helping the school to raise huge amounts of money each year and has also spent a lot of time outside of school helping his grandparents and aunt with various chores that they were unable to do alone as well as being a keen waterpolo player.

He said: "The Edge inspires people to achieve more than they thought they were capable of achieving."

Brian Lightman, former head teachers' leader and general secretary of the Association of School and College Leaders, described the Edge as inspiring and a must for all schools.

He said: "Young people need more help from schools to prepare for life in our complex 21st century society.

"When I first heard about the Edge I was inspired. At a time of so much externally imposed change here was an approach to that challenge developed by serving professionals in a real school.

"Furthermore, it was not another bolt on idea adding to the excessive workload of teachers; it was embedded within the curriculum and pastoral structures deepening the dialogue between staff and students, helping to develop a caring, value driven ethos and responsibility to the wider community.

THREE students at the Sir John Colfox Academy have received certificates for completing the Edge programme. Pictured (left to right) Sam, Amber and Ellie with deputy head Paul Middleton

"The rapid sign up by hundreds of schools demonstrates its powerful potential to enrich and enhance the experience of young people, helping them to taste success beyond academic achievement and progress with moral purpose and ambition into their future careers and lives.

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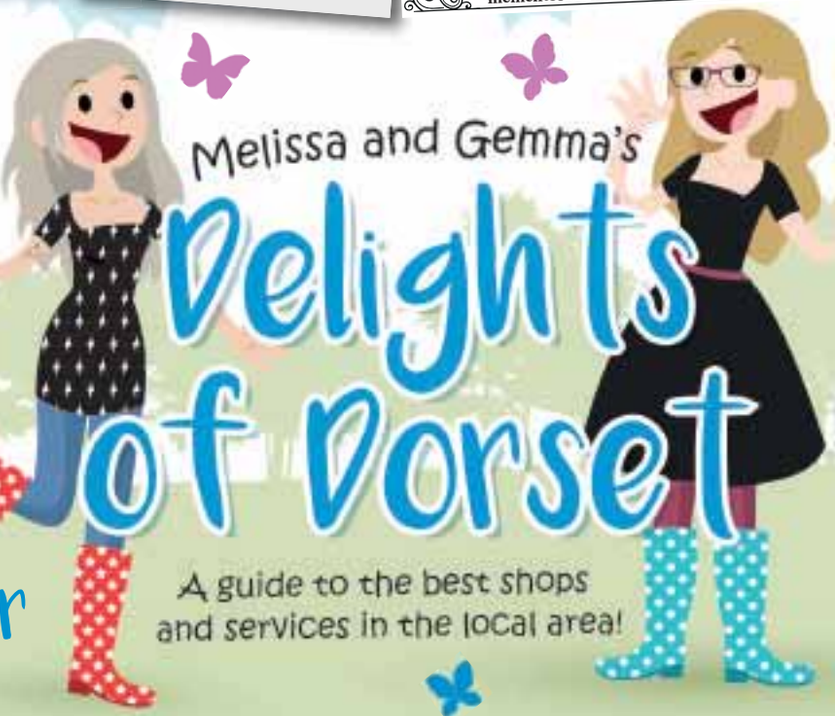
The shop is open Tuesday to Friday 9am to 4pm and Saturday 10 to 2pm. For all enquiries or to place an order please contact Heather or Georgina on 01308 862242 or email fancytcc@gmail.com

Mementos

Mementos Past and Present is just one of the independent shops in Lynch Way, Beaminster , which is off the main square at the side of the Beaminster Emporium. Mementos offers a range of goods for Ladies, Gentlemen and children and also something for the home and garden. Items from shabby chic to antique, jewellery, scarves, bags, cushions, furniture, mirrors, toys, gardening and gifts. There is a new range of towels now in stock . Happy shopping!



Broadwindsor Craft and Design Centre & Restaurant

Situated in the heart of West Dorset's beautiful rolling countryside, the Broadwindsor Craft and Design Centre can be found nestled on the edge of the village. Established in 1986, redundant farm buildings on the edge of the village were the starting point for this unique venture. Today, the Craft Centre is renowned for its excellence and quality.

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In 2012 the Craft Centre opened the Attic Gallery, exhibiting many talented artists from the local area. You can also find a number of independently run craft studios, dedicated to showcasing the craftsmanship involved in producing beautiful gifts, materials and one of a kind masterpieces. The craft studios hosts: Caboodle, which specialises in modern and vintage attire and unusual wares; Earth Design, which offers an amazing array of gifts from around the world; Sophie Rose Soft Furnishings & Interiors, which offers hand finished and bespoke soft furnishings to brighten up any room; Mingled Yarn Weaving Studio offers a fascinating selection of handwoven textiles and weaving, spinning and textile craft supplies; and Malcolm Giladjian, who is a well established local artist who paints with oil and mixed media, his work has a visionary quality, charged with energy.

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Since opening in November, Nick and Sian have already built a reputation for great food. They use locally sourced, home cooked produce and the quality shines through. The chef produces daily specials depending on the season and the traditional Sunday Lunch is proving very popular. Theme nights are available in the week too, with a Pie and a Pint night every Tuesday and a Tapas night every Thursday, both from 6-9pm.

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In order to maintain and continue to improve the standards we provide, we are re-organising and expanding our services. As a result we have a variety of key positions available.
We are particularly interested in meeting a Registered Nurse who would like to take a full time leading role, supporting us in developing the clinical aspects of the service with a focus on holistic end of life care.
There are newly developed permanent positions available in the care and housekeeping department. These include: Care Assistant -36 hours and Housekeeping/catering- 24/32 hours.
We would like to invite you to visit and experience the home on a normal working day, the lovely environment and dedicated team. We are proud of our home and service we provide which is reflected in our CQC report.
We welcome all applications and will provide you with the appropriate training and qualifications and help you to develop the required skills.
Drop in, have tea/coffee and cake, have a look around, informal chat, pick up an application form and even apply on the day if you wish.

For further information please contact Lisa Walters at Bymead on 01297 560620 or email us: bymeadhouse@gmail.com • www.bymead.co.uk

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DATE: 11th May 2016

Honoured Citizens' Awards 2016

Lyme Regis Town Council is inviting nominations for Honoured Citizens' Awards to commemorate HRH The Queen's official 90th birthday

To qualify for the award, a nominated person must live, work or undertake voluntary activities in Lyme Regis and their contribution to the town must be exceptional and significant

Those nominated must indicate they are prepared to accept the Honoured Citizens' Award, if offered

Nomination forms and more details are available at www.lymeregistowncouncil.gov.uk, from the town council offices, or by email admin@lymeregistowncouncil.gov.uk

Deadline for nominations is 12 noon on Wednesday 1st June 2016

Council Offices, Guildhall Cottage, Church Street, Lyme Regis, Dorset, DT7 3BS
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BLUES WIZARD

Laurence Jones to headline Sunday evening of Lyme Regis Jazz & Blues Weekend

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REBECCA DOWNES

Blues sensation to play Dorchester Arts Blues Night *page 24*

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Stand-up is headliner of Pilot Boat's second Comedy Night *page 27*

TRANSMISSION

Your guide to local live music

The gigs

Fri 13 May
Corn Exchange, DORCHESTER
SIMON & GARFUNKEL: THROUGH THE YEARS, BY BOOKENDS
Doors 7.30pm

Arts Centre, BRIDPORT
JAZZ CAFE: BRISTOL EUROPEAN JAZZ ENSEMBLE
8pm. £10

Spice Centre, DORCHESTER
BERNARDO PLAYING CONTINENTAL GUITAR
7.30pm.

Sat 14 May
Crown Inn, BRIDPORT
K2 9.30pm

Nag's Head, LYME REGIS
REAL WORLD 9pm

Corn Exchange, DORCHESTER
DA BLUES: REBECCA DOWNES
Doors 7.30pm. £13/£6.50 advance £14/£7 door.

Re-loved Vintage & Tea Rooms/Bistro,, DORCHESTER
BERNARDO PLAYING VINTAGE GUITAR
7pm. Free entry, booking advised - 01305 257070.

Sun 15 May
Crown Inn, BRIDPORT
CRIMSON ON SILVER
4pm

Fri 20 May
Spice Centre, DORCHESTER
BERNARDO PLAYING CONTINENTAL GUITAR
7.30pm.

Sat 21 May
Crown Inn, BRIDPORT
SIDEKICKS 9.30pm

Rebecca Downes

Power and performance

BIRMINGHAM-BASED Rebecca Downes and her band are a 'must see' live act that often leaves newcomers simply blown away by the power of the performance.

With her co-writer Steve Birkett alongside her, a very tight band behind, and Rebecca's powerful voice to the fore, the 6-piece oufit performs original tracks from the EP *Real Life*, the highly-acclaimed debut album *Back To The Start* and the superb second album *Believe*, punctuated by a few classic covers.

The core of their music is the Blues, but they embrace elements of rock, soul, funk and jazz to deliver an exciting, passionate set.

Rebecca Downes performs live at Dorchester Corn Exchange for DA Blues on Saturday, May 14th, at 8pm (doors and bar 7.30pm)

Tickets are £13/£6.50 in advance, or £14/£7 on the door. Senior citizen tickets £11 advance, or £12 door.

The venues

To advertise your live music call Rob Coombe on 01297 446146 or email rob.coombe@pemedia.co.uk

THE CROWN INN
WEST BAY ROAD, BRIDPORT
Saturday 14th May, 9.30pm
K2
Sunday 15th May, 4pm
CRIMSON ON SILVER
Saturday 21st May, 9.30pm
SIDEKICKS
www.lemonrock.com/crowninn
Tel 01308 422037

The Nag's Head
Silver St, Lyme Regis
Tel 01297 442312
FORTHCOMING EVENTS
Saturday 14th May, 9pm
REAL WORLD
Saturday 21st May, 9pm
TRAVELLING MOON
Wednesday 25th May
WEST & BLACK AND BBQ
BBQ and music from 7pm
Saturday 28th May, 9pm
JOHN D REVELATOR
www.nagsheadlymeregis.co.uk

Blues wizard

Prodigious talent Laurence Jones to play Lyme Regis Jazz & Blues Weekend

Laurence Jones

BLUES GUITAR-SLINGER and multi award-winner Laurence Jones is breaking off from a European tour to play a guitar-fuelled finale at this year's Lyme Regis Jazz & Blues Weekend.

The young blues guitarist, who's been taking the British blues scene by storm, is interrupting his European tour especially to play the Lyme Regis festival. Voted "Young Artist of the Year" by the British Blues Awards two years running and the "Best European Guitarist" by the European Blues Awards last year, Jones comes with an immaculate pedigree.

Inspired by Jimi Hendrix, Laurence Jones brings a fresh and innovative style of playing not seen since the likes of fellow Brit-bluesmen, Eric Clapton and John Mayall. His powerful, percussive and pulsating performances are exciting audiences around the UK and Europe in a relentless touring schedule.

Having supported the legendary Walter Trout on his UK tour last year, Laurence is now consolidating his position as the most important young blues star to emerge in Britain for decades. With three acclaimed albums already under his belt, his fourth album is eagerly awaited after working with producer, Mike Vernon, the man who recorded Fleetwood Mac, Eric Clapton and David Bowie.

In between touring, Laurence helps to raise awareness and funds for Crohn's & Colitis UK, after being diagnosed with Crohn's disease when 18. Festival-goers are being encouraged to make donations to the charity when they purchase tickets.

As festival organiser, Julie Sheppard said, "With his clutch of awards, acclaimed recordings and extensive gigging, Laurence Jones is the new blues wizard. This is your chance to see Laurence in an intimate venue before he starts playing those large stadia which are surely beckoning. His shows are explosive, exhilarating and full of energy. I can't think of a more fitting finale to our festival".

Laurence Jones plays at the Marine Theatre on Sunday, May 29th as part of Lyme Regis Jazz Festival. Doors open 7.30pm. Tickets are £13/15 plus booking fee. Tickets from: www.lymeregisjazzfestival.co.uk or Lyme Regis Tourist Information Centre on 01297 442138.

Follow the Lyme Regis Jazz & Blues Weekend at www.facebook/lymeregisjazzfestival to get latest updates. Free programme out now.

Musical satire from Jonny & The Baptists

The End is Nigh

MUSICAL SATIRISTS Jonny & The Baptists are bringing their climate change comedy-theatre crossover hit *The End Is Nigh* to Bridport Arts Centre on Friday 20 May. The show is a musical comedy about family, friendship and environmental disaster. The tour is part of a 4 date UK wide tour which follows an acclaimed Edinburgh Fringe premiere and last year's sell-out Rock The Vote tour.

The new show - *The End Is Nigh* - from the award winning musical comedians features a combination of barnstorming satirical rock to flights of brilliant silliness. It is a captivating story of family, friendship and environmental disaster. Last year, Jonny accidently told his four-year old niece climate change would end the work. To stop her crying, he and Paddy promised to fix it. They really tried very hard…

Jonny & The Baptists have been regulars on BBC Radio 4's The Now Show, and supported Mark Thomas on tour and recently appeared on the BBC's Live at Television Centre. The show marks the return to Bridport Arts Centre for star Jonny Donahoe - in September 2015 he brought his hit one-man show Every Brilliant Thing which sold out. So make sure your get tickets for this great show before they go!

Jonny & The Baptists bring The End Is Nigh to Bridport Arts Centre on Friday, May 20th at 8pm. Tickets are £12 and £10, available from www.bridport-arts.com or by calling 01308 424204.

Jonny & The Baptists

TBOB main sponsor and extra acts announced

PHIL GORDON, organiser of this summer's exciting Thorncombe Battle of Bands (TBOB), has announced their key sponsor: "I am absolutely thrilled that Beviss and Beckingsale have agreed to come on board and be our key sponsoring partner for TBOB.rocks. They are a great local business that have been really supportive of what we are trying to achieve for the local music scene with TBOB.

"It's really important to give up-and-coming musical talent the chance to shine. I'm sure they will get a real buzz playing to such an enthusiastic crowd.

"At TBOB it's all about the music and wanting artists to get the best out of themselves, playing to a full venue of people urging them onto success."

TBOB has already signed up an impressive eight bands to play after just a couple of weeks with more to follow. Phil told View 2: "I'm delighted to say that we've also started getting entries from the local colleges and academies, so the U21's award should be well contested too - is your school represented yet?"

Mark Carlisle, a Partner in Beviss & Beckingsale's Axminster Office, says: "We are delighted to be involved with this event. We always try to support our local communities and to be given the opportunity to play a part in what promises to be a fantastic weekend is very welcome. Apart from the Beer and Cider Festival, which obviously will be enjoyable, it will be super to be able to watch the young musical talent show what they can do. The organisers deserve our support and thanks for all the hard work they have put in."

Recovering Satellites

TBOB is part of the Thorncombe Beer and Cider festival which takes place on July 1st and 2nd. There's a full program of events from Friday night when all competing bands will start playing from 6.30pm. Saturday from 11.00am, there's a six a side cricket competition, family rounders, sideshows and stalls before the grand finale of TBOB starting at 6.30pm.

If you know of any good local musicians that might want to get involved, send them to tbob.rocks! They can apply at www.tbob.rocks and will be able to find all the info there.

Shonaleigh and the tale of The Opal Forest

SHONALEIGH CUMBERS, well-known and well-loved teller of extraordinary tales, returns to the Story Café at Bridport Arts Centre on Friday, May 20th for the fourth year running. In the story of The Opal Forest, nobody emerges unscathed. They stagger out of the forest and into the light and for a moment it is the real world that seems like a dream.

Come and hear what happens to the scholar who becomes a hero, the wise man who is driven mad, while the fool becomes a warrior without reason and the innocent are older than they should be. Learn that the happiness of a single moment can last a lifetime; a landscape of sorrow can last beyond the grave. The key is knowing which forest to get lost in, which mountain to climb, which battle to walk away from.

Doors open at 7pm and the storytelling begins at 7.30pm. The evening is suitable for adults and older children. Booking in advance is advisable. Tickets are £8 (£5 concessions) available from Bridport Arts Centre box office, by phone 01308 424204 and the website www.bridport-arts.com

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This week's new cinema

EVERYBODY WANTS SOME [15]
A GROUP of college baseball players navigate their way through the freedoms and responsibilities of unsupervised adulthood.
Stars Blake Jenner, Tyler Hoechlin and Ryan Guzman.

GREEN ROOM [18]
AFTER witnessing a murder, a punk rock band is forced into a vicious fight for survival against a group of maniacal skinheads.
Stars Anton Yelchin, Imogen Poots and Alia Shawkat.

ANGRY BIRDS [U]
FIND out why the birds are so angry. When an island populated by happy, flightless birds is visited by mysterious green piggies, it's up to three unlikely outcasts - Red, Chuck and Bomb - to figure out what the pigs are up to.
The hugely popular video game makes its cinematic debut, with voices from Peter Dinklage, Jason Sudeikis and Kate McKonnon.

WHISKEY TANGO FOXTROT [15]
A JOURNALIST recounts her wartime coverage in Afghanistan.
Comedy stars Tina Fey, Margot Robbie and Martin Freeman.

THE DARKNESS [15]
A FAMILY returns from a Grand Canyon vacation, haunted by an ancient supernatural entity they unknowingly awakened and engages them in a fight for their survival.
Stars Kevin Bacon, Radha Mitchell and David Mazouz.

Cinema Listings

Fri, May 13th - Thu, May 19th

ALL LISTINGS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

BRIDPORT ARTS CENTRE
Tel: 01308 424204
www.bridport-arts.com

Janis: Little Girl Blue [15] Sun: 15.00
Sleeping With Other People [15]
Thu: 19.30

DORCHESTER PLAZA
Tel: 01305 262488
www.plazadorchester.com

Angry Birds 2D [U]
Fri, Mon: 12.30, 15.00, 15.45, 18.15
Sat & Sun: 11.00, 13.45, 15.15, 18.00
Tue: 15.00, 15.45, 18.15
Wed: 15.00, 17.30
Thu: 12.00, 14.45, 17.15
Bad Neighbours 2 [15]
Fri, Mon-Thu: 12.30, 18.00, 20.30
Sat & Sun: 15.30, 18.00, 20.45
Captain America: Civil War 2D [12A]
Fri, Mon, Tue: 12.45, 16.15, 19.45
Sat & Sun: 16.30, 20.00
Wed: 12.15, Thu: 12.45, 19.45
Florence Foster Jenkins [PG]
Fri: 13.00, 17.30, 20.15
Sat & Sun: 11.30, 17.00, 19.45
Mon: 12.00, 17.30, 20.15
Tue: 17.30, 20.15, Wed: 15.00, 17.30
Thu: 12.00, 14.30, 17.00
The Jungle Book 2D [PG]
Fri, Mon-Thu: 15.15, 20.15
Sat & Sun: 12.15, 14.15, 20.30
Robinson Crusoe [PG]
Sat & Sun: 10.45, 13.00

DORCHESTER ODEON
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Bad Neighbours 2 [15]
Fri-Tue: 20.40, Thu: 20.00
Captain America: Civil War [12A]
Fri-Tue: 13.30, 17.00, 20.20
Wed & Thu: 20.40
Dad's Army [PG]
Tue: 11.00am, Thu: 14.00
Florence Foster Jenkins [PG]
Fri, Mon: 12.00, Tue: 11.00, 20.00, Wed: 13.30
Goosebumps [PG] Sat & Sun: 10am
Angry Birds [U]
Daily: 13.00, 15.30, 18.00
plus Sat & Sun: 11.00am
The Jungle Book [PG]
Fri-Mon: 14.40, 17.20, 20.00
plus Sat & Sun: 12.00,
Tue, Thu: 17.20, Wed: 16.20

SIDMOUTH RADWAY
Tel: 0300 124 0275
www.scottcinemas.co.uk

Due to the fire and subsequent closure of Lyme Regis cinema, regular visitors are welcomed to the Sidmouth Radway Cinema.

Florence Foster Jenkins [PG]
Fri-Mon: 19.35
Angry Birds [U]
Fri, Mon, Tue, Thu: 17.00
Sat & Sun: 14.30, 17.00, Wed: 16.15

WEYMOUTH CINEWORLD
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Bad Neighbours 2 [15]
Fri: 14.15, 16.30, 17.45, 18.45, 20.00, 21.00
Sat-Thu: 13.40, 15.50, 18.50, 21.00
Bastille Day [15]
Fri: 13.20, 18.10, Sat-Tue: 20.50
Captain America: Civil War 2D [12A]
Fri: 12.40, 13.30, 14.10, 15.50, 17.20, 18.15, 19.00, 20.30
Sat & Sun: 10.50, 13.10, 14.00, 15.30, 16.20, 17.10, 18.40, 20.20
Mon-Tue: 13.10, 14.00, 15.30, 16.20, 17.10, 18.40, 20.20
Wed-Thu: 13.10, 14.00, 16.20, 17.10, 20.20
Captain America: Civil War 3D [12A]
Fri: 16.40, 19.45,
Sat & Sun, Tue-Thu: 19.30
Eye In The Sky [15]
Fri: 13.00, 21.15, Sat-Tue: 14.50
Florence Foster Jenkins [PG]
Fri: 12.40, 15.10, 17.40, 20.10
Sat & Sun: 17.20, 19.20
Mon-Tue: 13.00, 17.20, 19.50
Wed: 14.50, Thu: 14.50, 19.40
Our Kind of Traitor [15]
Sat, Sun, Wed, Thu: 18.00, 20.30
Mon-Tue: 15.00, 18.00, 20.30
Robinson Crusoe [PG]
Fri: 16.00, Sat & Sun: 11.00,13.20
The Angry Birds Movie 2D [U]
Sat & Sun: 10.40, 11.30, 13.00, 13.50, 15.20, 16.10, 18.30, 19.50
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The Angry Birds Movie 3D [U]
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Mon-Tue: 15.00, 17.20, Wed: 17.20
The Jungle Book [PG]
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Sat & Sun: 11.20, 12.20, 13.50, 16.20, 17.40, 20.10
Mon-Tue: 13.50, 16.20, 17.30, 20.00
Wed & Thu: 15.20, 20.00
X-Men: Apocalypse 2D [12A]
Wed & Thu: 13.00, 14.30, 16.00, 17.30, 19.00, 20.30
X-Men: Apocalypse 3D [12A]
Wed & Thu: 13.45, 16.45, 19.45

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View 2 Diary Dates

THURSDAY MAY 12TH

DORCHESTER: Thursday Group meeting at St George's Church Hall. The Venerable Paul Taylor will talk on 'The Road to West Stafford - reflections on a priestly life". 2.15pm. Admission £1, which covers a cup of tea and a biscuit. All welcome. For more details call 01305 259755.
DORCHESTER: The Durnovarian Dames Ladies Group. Bob Ayres will be presenting a talk entitled 'The Hidden Gardens of London' on Thursday, May 12th from 10am to Noon at The Recreation Ground Pavilion, Weymouth Avenue. For more details visit www.durnovariandames.weebly.com
EYPE, NEAR BRIDPORT: Parent and baby/toddler swimming course 11.30-12noon at Highland's End Leisure Club. Have good fun, great exercise for young children, help develop muscles, bonding and building water confidence. For more information ring Penny Yarnold on 07970 879047 or 01308 426945.

SATURDAY MAY 14TH

WEYMOUTH: Broadwey, Upwey & District Horticultural Society Plant Sale in the Memorial Hall, Victoria Avenue, Upwey, Weymouth. Doors open at 2pm.
LODERS: West Dorset Group of the Somerset and Dorset Family History Society talk 'The Bankes Project - Kingston Lacy' by Luke Dady, Dorset History Centre. Luke, who is working on the project, will give an update on what is being done and some of the fascinating discoveries they have found. The project is the biggest the Dorset History Centre has undertaken. At Loders Village Hall. 2pm. Members £1.50 and visitors £3.00, all welcome. For more information contact Jane on 01308 425710 or email jferentzi@aol.com
PUDDLETOWN: Concert by the Dorset Police Male Voice Choir at St Mary's Middle School, 7pm for 7.30pm. An evening of song and, by kind permission of the Head of School, special guest artistes from the School musicians and choir. Tickets: £8 in advance, £10 on the door, includes a drink and nibbles. Children under 16 £4. Tel: 01305 848510, 849048 and 848646. St Mary's Church is closed until the early autumn for a new heating system to be installed and proceeds will go towards this work. Charity No: 1150071.
BRIDPORT: New Elizabethan Singers' 50 Anniversary Concert, performing Fauré's Requiem. At St Mary's Church. The concert starts at 7.30 pm and tickets (£12, under 18s free) will be available from both Bridport Music and Goadsby. For more information, phone 07528 105977

SATURDAY MAY 14TH & SUNDAY MAY 15TH

BROADWINDSOR: Broadwindsor Art Club Exhibition at The Old Salt House, West Bay, DT6 4EN 10am-6pm. Display of members' work, pictures for sale. Admission free, disabled access, parking nearby.
LYME REGIS: To coincide with National Mills Weekend, Lyme Regis's thriving Town Mill quarter hosts MillFest, its second annual festival of milling, music, family activities, art, food and drink centred on its 700-year-old working Mill and themed around the rhyme 'Sing a Song of Sixpence' to celebrate The Mill's first milling of rye flour. Open 11am-4pm. The Town Mill, Mill Lane, Lyme Regis DT7 3PU. www.townmill.org.uk

SUNDAY MAY 15TH

BRIDPORT: Milton Mill Open Garden, West Milton, Bridport, DT6 3SN. 1-5pm. Plants, teas, crafts with proceeds divided between the British Red Cross and Medecins Sans Frontieres. Entry by donation, dogs on leads.

MONDAY MAY 16TH

EYPE, NEAR BRIDPORT: Parent and baby/toddler swimming course 11.30-12noon at Highland's End Leisure Club. Have good fun, great exercise for young children, help develop muscles, bonding and building water confidence. For more information ring Penny Yarnold on 07970 879047 or 01308 426945.
EYPE, NEAR BRIDPORT: Aqua Fit classes at Highland's End, 10.30-11.30. Make new friends and have fun getting fit in the water, which provides support and resistance for a low impact workout. Details from the pool on 01308 426945 or from Penny Yarnold on 07970 879047.

WEDNESDAY MAY 18TH

DORCHESTER: Christian Aid Market and Coffee Morning. Lots of stalls, followed by ploughmans lunch at the United Church Hall, South Street. 9.45-1.30pm.
BRIDPORT: The Bookshop, South Street, presents a talk and signing with Judith Miller and Mark Hill, at 5pm. Tickets £5 available at the Bookshop, redeemable against purchase of the 'Collectables Handbook & Price Guide 2016-2017' book.

THURSDAY MAY 19TH

EYPE, NEAR BRIDPORT: Parent and baby/toddler swimming course 11.30-12noon at Highland's End Leisure Club. Have good fun, great exercise for young children, help develop muscles, bonding and building water confidence. For more information ring Penny Yarnold on 07970 879047 or 01308 426945.

FRIDAY MAY 20TH

LYME REGIS: Lyme Bay Photographic Club. AGM and Election of Officers. Presentation of End Of Season Awards. Followed by end of season social evening

SATURDAY MAY 21ST

LYME REGIS: Lyme Bay Chorale performing a concert of early 20th century choral with The Occasional Singers from Dorchester. At St Michael's Parish Church, 6pm. Tickets available from Penny Black's Tea Room, and Lyme Regis Tourist Information Centre. £15 on the door. £13 in advance to include buffet. Admission free for young people 18 and under.
EVERSHOT: Love music from Sam Kelly's Station House, at Evershot Village Hall. Doors 7.30pm, music 8.30pm. Tickets £10 on the door. Fully licensed bar.
BEAMINSTER: Coffee Morning and Bring & Buy at 2 Styles Close, Beaminster (DT8 3BP) in aid of Bridport Community Hospital Garden Fund. 10.30am-12.30pm.
LYME REGIS: Hobby & Craft Fayre to be held at the Baptist Church Hall, Silver Street from 10.30am - 3.00pm. Variety of Local Crafts, Collectables and Homemade Jams and Chutneys. Organised by Bizzy Fingers Craft Group supporting "FORCE" Cancer Charity. For more details call Jean on 01297 21508
BOTHENHAMPTON: Film: 'Moviola' at Bothenhampton Village Hall, doors 7pm, film 7.30pm. Tickets available on the door cost £4 for members of film club £5 for everybody else. For more details call 01308 423071.

SUNDAY MAY 22ND

BRIDPORT: Wessex Military Band concert Bridport Arts Centre 3pm, tickets £9 concessions £7. Box office 01308 424204.

MONDAY MAY 23RD

BURTON BRADSTOCK: Biodanza at Othona. Express, Connect, Relax! Dance like no one's watching, no steps to learn, no partner needed, uplifting world music and holistic health benefits. For all ages from 19 to 90. 7.15pm for 7.30pm. For those who have attended 5 or more Biodanza sessions. £7 (concs available). At Othona Community, Coast Road. For more details call 01308 897 130 or visit biodanza-bridport.co.uk
EYPE, NEAR BRIDPORT: Aqua Fit classes at Highland's End, 10.30-11.30. Make new friends and have fun getting fit in the water, which provides support and resistance for a low impact workout. Details from the pool on 01308 426945 or from Penny Yarnold on 07970 879047.

SATURDAY MAY 28TH

BURTON BRADSTOCK: Combpyne Rousdon Produce Association plant sale and coffee morning. Held at Peek Hall, Rousdon. Starting at 10.30am, chance to pick up this years Flower show schedule, and many other goodies!
POUNDBURY: Wessex Local Craft and Produce Market at Brownsword Hall, 10.30am-4pm. Showcasing artisan crafters and food producers, with a good variety ranging from rare breed products, homemade jams & chutneys, artists, jewellery, hand knitted items and more. Profits from these markets will be going to Hangers Heroes a charity based in Weymouth that raises monies and awareness of small charities in Dorset. There will be refreshments served all day, with ample Free Parking at and around the hall. Entry is Free and Brownsword Hall also has a lift making it accessible to the disabled.

SUNDAY MAY 29TH

BRIDPORT: Brit Valley Rotary Club Companion Dog Show at the West Bay Showground starting at 12 noon. Funds raised for The Dorset and Somerset Air Ambulance, Woofability and Rotary Charities,. The show to include 10 pedigree classes and 11 novelty classes including fancy dress, (dog and handler), dog with the waggiest tail, dog most like its owner and many more. Shows in the main ring will include displays of dog agility by the Portland Dog Agility Club and Dogs from Woofability. Also trade and charity stalls. Refreshments, both hot and cold served on the field. Entry £4.00 per adult, children under 16 free. Free parking. For further details please ring 01308 423318.

SUNDAY MAY 29TH & MONDAY MAY 30TH

WEYMOUTH: Weymouth Rotary Club Spring Bank Holiday 'Fayre in the Square'. It will be centred around Hope Square and Trinity Street. Non-stop music in Hope Square from 10am to 7pm on both days with stalls and entertainment for families providing something for everyone. Last year The Rotary Club gave away £16,000 to local good causes.

THURSDAY JUNE 2ND

BRIDPORT: Bridport Electronic Organ & Keyboard Club concert at the United Church Hall, East Street, with the Yorkshire artist Tony Stace. Admission £7.50 members, visitors £9 with refreshments. For more details call 01460 73500.

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Symondsbury Estate's Spring Fair

ENJOY a spring fair in the location of Manor Yard in Symondsbury.

On Thursday, June 2nd from 11am to 7pm, Symondsbury Estate will be hosting a Spring Fair at Manor Yard in the village of Symondsbury. The fair will have a horseback falconry show, various farm animals, ferret racing, face painting, kids activities, bouncy castle, candy floss and garden games. Along with free entry and parking it will be a great day out for all the family. A colouring competition for children with the opportunity of winning a horse & cart ride around the estate along with various other prizes. There will also be a draw with the opportunity to win a horseback falconry experience with Jonathan Marshall.

Set in the pretty village of Symondsbury, just outside Bridport, Manor Yard is a beautifully restored and revitalised traditional Dorset farmyard. You'll find some one-off independent shops including a fused glass workshop, fashion boutique, stone carver & vinyl record shop, interior designer, re upholstered furniture, arts and crafts shop, bike shop along with a vintage and retro barn.

Symondsbury Kitchen & Store will be open throughout the fair offering food & drink and the Tithe Barn will be open for the public to look around. The fully licensed bar in the barn will also remain open after the fair for the first of its Thursday evenings as a place to enjoy a drink in relaxed surroundings.

With over 30 stalls dotted around the yard you can enjoy browsing the local food produce & craft stalls.

There are still a limited number of pitches available for stall holders.

Comedy Night sails back to the Pilot Boat

James Alderson

AFTER a sell out first show the new Pilot Boat Inn comedy night in Lyme Regis returns next week with another bumper line up of comedians.

The May show will feature something for all comedy fans with five acts ranging from straight stand up to musical comedy and even a bit of magic.

Headlining the show will be the award winning James Alderson, a master of observational stand up and a hit with audiences of all ages.

James has appeared on TV in the UK and the US and last year won the 'Best Comedy Act' at the WOW247 awards.

Opening the show will be comedy magician 'Wayne the Weird', who combines his comedy with outrageous tricks and pitch perfect audience interaction.

Completing the line up will be Devon based comics Louis Burgess and Sandi Smith. Louis is known for his hilarious musical parodies and hip hop stylings, while Sandi delights in sharing her tales of parenting and being an older woman.

Hosting the show will be resident compere, and local comic, Tom Glover, "The first show went better than we could ever have expected so we're delighted to be back with another great line up", he said.

"All the acts are hand picked by me and they are some of the funniest comedians on the circuit today.

"We were over the moon to see the local support for the first gig and if we can continue that I'll be able to keep bringing great acts down to Lyme and hopefully even a few TV names in the future."

Tickets for the show are £8 and are available on the door. However, to avoid disappointment, you are advised to get your tickets in advance direct from the Pilot Boat Inn or reserve them on 01297 443157.

Local artists join forces for stained glass exhibition

JACKIE Hunt and Liz Hollingworth have joined together to exhibit their work in a stunning location overlooking the river Brit in the heart of West Bay, next door to the famous Riverside Restaurant. The chalet is an ideal venue to display the special qualities of stained glass.

Jackie designs and makes varied and striking glass panels, ranging from small decorative domestic pieces to large public artworks, using traditional and contemporary techniques. She has been making stained glass to commission for over twenty-five years and teaching stained glass for the last twelve.

Jackie will also be exhibiting with others at Dorset Centre for the Creative Arts in Poundbury for Dorset Artweeks and running a stained glass workshop there on 8th/9th June. For details and booking see www.jackiehunt.co.uk

Liz's interest in stained glass started in Hampstead in London. After 35 years of running her own business in an increasingly stressful environment her need to turn to something creative and away from commerce became essential. She trained in workshops at Camden lock and fell in love with working in this medium.

Liz moved to Dorset in 1998 and developed her love of stained glass mostly in the form of mosaics. For this exhibition various styles of handcrafted mirrors are displayed, together with a selection of her photographs focused on the environs of the chalet.

Come and enjoy the exhibition with tea and cake beside the riverside! Open 11am – 7pm daily, from May 21st to June 2nd, the second week as part of Dorset Artweeks.

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Leading south west holiday company Classic Cottages (www.classic.co.uk) is bringing its property styling masterclass to Dorset this May.

The South West holiday experts have drawn on their 39 years' experience in the holiday property business to create a helpful and useful session for property owners. The Seminar, open to owners of holiday properties regardless of the agency they are with, will offer advice on how to boost a property's appeal with potential bookers.

The seminar, which takes place at Furleigh Estate on Wednesday 18th May, features guest speakers including Iona Service from Gesso Interiors and Brian and Terrie Covington property owners who have turned a run-down barn into an outstanding holiday property. Rebecca Hansford from Furleigh will also be speaking about wines from their Dorset vineyard.

Classic's Property Managers for Dorset, Amanda Mitchell and Anna Hamlyn, will be sharing their top tips for running a successful holiday property and offering advice on how to boost a property's appeal with potential bookers. The team will also offer practical renovation and upcycling tips.

"Over the course of the morning you'll discover how to improve your property by making small changes that will make a big difference to your visitor's experience and, ultimately, your rental income." - Simon Tregoning, Chairman of Classic Cottages.

Classic, who look after just shy of 900 properties for owners across the South West, have their finger on the pulse of what makes a good holiday home. That, coupled with the solid back-up of skills and infrastructure at their head office, maximises bookings for holiday properties. Classic's team of professional Property Managers, like Amanda and Anna, are always on hand to support owners and visitors alike.

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Spaces on the half-day session, which starts at 10am with coffee, tea and pastries and finishes with lunch at 12.30pm, must be booked in advance. Tickets are a nominal £3 per person or £5 per couple. To secure your place call 01326 555 550 or email lizzie@classic.co.uk.

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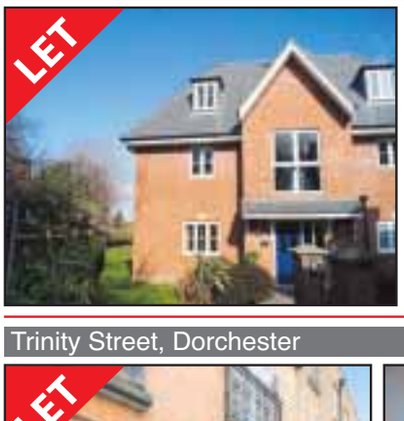

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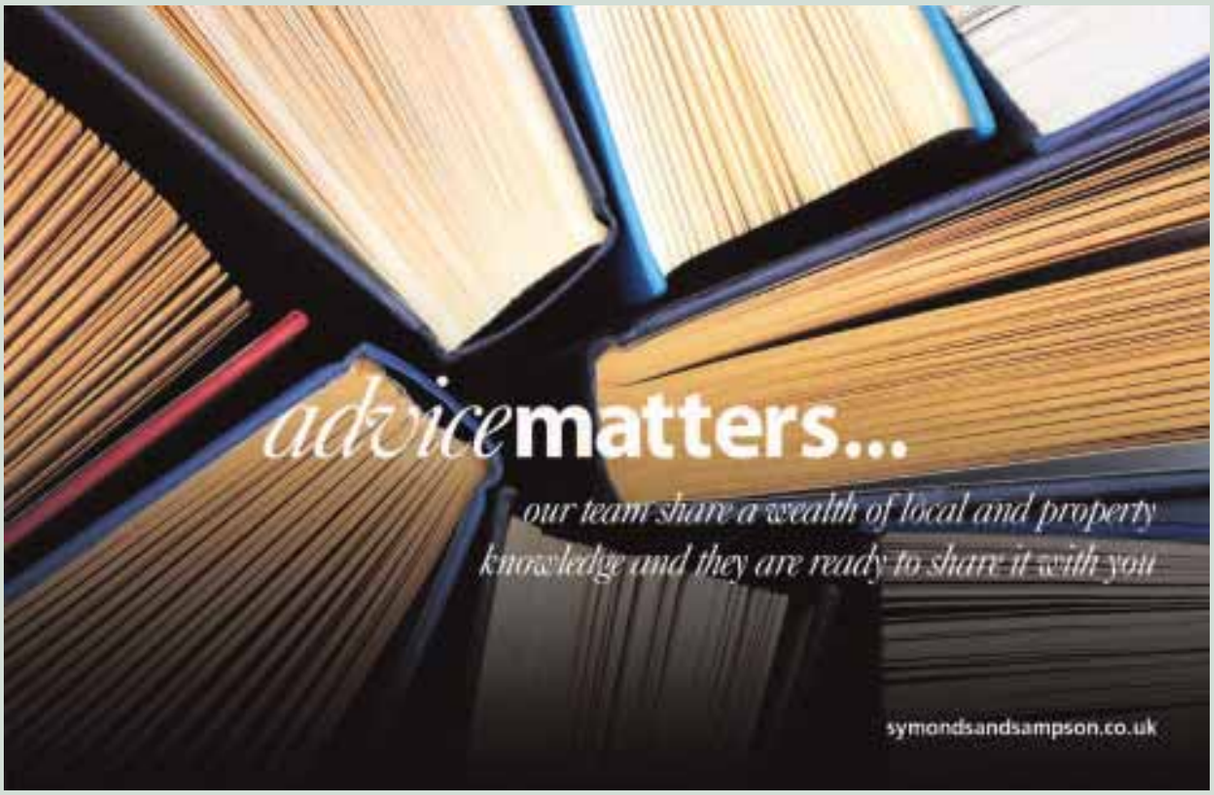

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Customers can pop down to Lanehouse Vauxhall, with sites in Bridport and Weymouth, between 12 – 16 May 2016 to put a shiny new Vauxhall on their drive and a spring in their step.

During the five day event, customers will get the £500 Gift on top of Vauxhall's other great offers such as the Corsa Limited Edition for just £169 per month with advance rental[1], which comes with one year's insurance[†], free for 21-75 year olds or only £99 for 18 – 20 year olds.

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Dominic Avery, Company Director at Lanehouse Vauxhall, comments: "The Vauxhall £500 Gift event is a delight for our customers who want to treat themselves to a new car and then go and enjoy it somewhere special or treat themselves to something they really want.

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[1]Personal contract hire offer on Corsa Limited Edition 1.4i 75PS ecoFLEX, 3-Door in Flame Red with Advanced Park Assist and Bi-Xenon headlights, on orders received before 30 June 2016, subject to availability and status. Age 18+ only. Figures based on a non-maintenance contract hire package with advance rental of £2,704, then 35 monthly rentals of £169.

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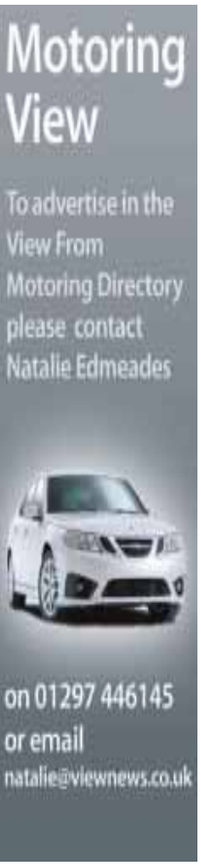

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2010(60) NISSAN X-TRAIL 2.0 DCi TEKNA £12,000

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2013(13) MINI COOPER 2.0D AUTOMATIC CONVERTIBLE £13,000

2013(13) MINI ONE CONVERTIBLE PEPPER PACK £10,350

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Tipton St John	24	20
Hemyock	23	16*
East Budleigh (R)	23	11
Culm Utd (R)	23	7

D&E Div Seven (22)	Pld	Pts
Tivvy Park Rangers (C)	22	50
Central (Exeter) (P)	22	49
Offwell Rangers	22	44
Elmore Reserves	21	44
Pinhoe Reserves	22	38*
LYME REGIS RES	22	33
Wellington Tn 3rds	22	30*
Colyton Reserves	21	26
Cheriton Fitz Res	21	20
Seaton Town Res	21	16
Langdon Reserves	22	14
Bradninch (R)	22	3*

Perry St Premier (22)	Pld	Pts
Perry Street	19	53
South Petherton	19	46
Shepton Beauchamp	20	45
Barrington	19	40
Beaminster	20	40
Winsham Utd	21	25
Netherbury	21	24
W & M Chinnock	21	23
Combe Reserves	22	22
Chard Utd	22	21
Forton Rangers (R)	22	11*
Crewkerne Town (R)	22	6*

Perry Street Div 1 (18)	Pld	Pts
Misterton (P)	17	42
Hawkchurch Utd	17	34
Waytown Hounds	17	30
Drimpton	13	27
Pymore	17	26
Uplyme	16	25
Combe A	17	22
Ilminster Town Colts	17	16
Thorncombe (R)	17	9
Crewkerne Rangers (R)	16	8

Perry Street Div 2 (20)	Pld	Pts
South Petherton Res	17	48
Merriott Rovers	16	40
Shepton Beau Res	18	36
Farway Utd	17	33
Winsham Utd Res	19	31
Combe B	18	28*
Chard Rangers	19	26
Chard Utd Reserves	20	26
Kingsbury Episcopi	20	16
Hinton St George (R)	19	12
Thorncombe Res (R)	19	0

Perry Street Div 3 (24)	Pld	Pts
Halstock	19	52
Perry Street Reserves	19	48*
Dowlish & Donyatt	21	46
Charmouth	22	41
Fivehead	21	34
Netherbury Reserves	20	33
Uplyme Reserves	20	25
Drimpton Reserves	20	23*
Chard Rangers Res	19	22*
Crewkerne Rangers Res	20	14*
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Local football round-up WITH HOWARD LARCOMBE

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Lyme Regis on the brink of promotion

Beaminster fail to raise a side - Merriott Dynamos expelled, more to follow? Drimpton defeated in two finals in 48 hours

DEVON & EXETER LEAGUE
HEMYOCK 0 LYME REGIS 8
Division Two

WITH caretaker manager Rob Thom off playing cricket, former boss Robin Townsend took the Seasiders' reins on Saturday. And he showed he has none of his touch as he guided the team to a routine away day victory.

He gave a senior debut to Jamie Fry who replaced the injured Lee Cleal between the sticks.

Julien Simier opened the scoring under the gaze of his father Geoffroy who was over for a brief visit from his home in Creully, Normandy.

Joe Bond soon made it 2-0 and the points were as good as in the bag.

Simier made it 3-0 and went on to score a hat-trick with Bond going one better to take tally for the club this season up to 41.

Substitute Tyrone Ruth chipped in with one for his first goal in Lyme colours.

Seasiders; *J.Fry, A.Cleal, D.Rowe (Capt), L.Clifton, C.Larcombe, J.Gostling (S.Taylor), R.Fellingham, S.Pollard-Jones, J.Simier, B.Clarke (L.Middleton), J.Bond (T.Ruth).*

Remaining fixtures (all 3pm ko)
Saturday, May 14th v Cullompton Rangers Res (A, EX15 1DW)
Saturday, Exmouth Town Res (H).

LYME REGIS RES 0 CENTRAL FC 7
Division Seven

WITH nothing to play for against promotion-bound opponents, Lyme Regis Reserves subsided to their biggest defeat of the season as they were crushed in the Davey Fort sunshine.

PERRY STREET LEAGUE PREMIER
BARRINGTON P BEAMINSTER P

BEAMINSTER could only muster eight players for the scheduled trip to Shelway Lane.

NETHERBURY 4 CREWKERNE TOWN 1

DESPITE being almost down to the bare bones, the Ambers still had enough to see off lowly Crewkerne Town.

Netherbury started well, dominated for large periods and were soon ahead when Mark Cuff played in Tom Franklin who finished well.

They extended their lead with Ryan Gay scoring just before the interval.

But the hosts started the second half sluggishly and were punished on the counter attack when George Gillman shot under keeper Rob Harp.

This woke the Ambers up and the third goal eventually came from a Franklin deep corner that Gay controlled brilliantly to send a side foot volley flying past the visiting keeper.

Rob Harp was then unlucky not to add to the score line when he had three chances in quick succession.

Manager Andy Loudon , a half-time substitute, added the fourth after drilling a low shot past the keeper on his near post for his first goal in seven seasons.

Netherbury had the chance to make it 5-1, but Lloyd Wakely had a penalty well saved by keeper Lee Gillman who atoned for giving away the spot kick.

Manager Loudon said: "It's great to win our last home game. Although in the second half we made hard work of it, but I made sure I took my chance when it came!" Loudon picked out Franklin as MoM.

PERRY STREET 3 SHEPTON BEAUCHAMP 2

A SUPERB last minute penalty save by Jason Contreras could prove crucial in the destination of the Premier Division title.

Contreras kept out Jamie Spurdle's last kick of the game spot kick after a foul by Dan O'Connor to clinch all three points for the Mothers who came from 2-0 down and, being four points clear with a game in-hand, appear to now have one hand on the trophy.

Visiting Shepton looked to have put the cat amongst the pigeons when goals from Dan Smith and Adam Dawe put them in control at 2-0.

But Street are not unbeaten by chance. Charlie Grierson, up from the Reserves, pulled one back in first half stoppage time. Then the 83rd minute Sam Bond scrambled in Dan O'Connor's cut back.

And soon after a Jay Stewart flock header put Callum MacHattie through one-on-one. He duly rounded the gloveman and rolled the ball home.

W & M CHINNOCK 0 SOUTH PETHERTON 6

WEST & Middle Chinnock held out for 43 minutes before conceding twice through Sam Bourne and Hayden Smith in as many minutes having started the game with 10 men.

Jamie Underwood then helped himself to a second-half hat-trick and Smith grabbed his second.

"A big win, but nothing to shout about against 10-men said Pethy manager Karl Diment who conceded that his team are now battling for runners-up spot: "Perry Street have it in the bag."

Division One
CREWKERNE RANGERS 3 PYMORE 1

DESPITE starting the game with 10 men Pymore rocked their hosts when Carl Bulman fired them inside the first minute.

Stuart Hedditch's side were back up to their full quota in the 20th minute but Rangers soon levelled through David Smith.

Smiht bagged another after the interval with Steve Bryant clinching the win.

"It's been a tough run-in, and today was probably the straw that broke the camels back – we were dead on our feet," said Hedditch.

THORNCOMBE 2 UPLYME 1

JAMES Beddows' sixth goal of the season couldn't save Uplyme from a disappointing defeat at Division Two-bound Thorncombe.

Beddows nodded in from a corner to put the Swallows in front.

But the Thorns battled back to win thanks to goals from Luke de Pasquale and Dan Winter.

Division Two

LONG TIME leaders South Petherton took a step closer the title with an 11-0 mauling of hosts Thorncombe Reserves.

Jimmy Rees waded in with five while Ryan Thurgood netted a hat-trick and Dan Kadir (20 and Matt Darby scored the others.

Meanwhile Merriott Dynamos' two-year stint in the league is over after less than three seasons after they were forced to withdraw after their fourth cancellation. The league table has been adjusted accordingly.

The PSDL began the season with 52 teams but this has dwindled to 46 and, with several teams having already cancelled three times, there may still be more to follow.

Other scores; *Chard Rangers 0 Combe B 2 (N.Reid, S.Scott), Chard Utd Res 3 (L.Mesquita 2, D.Wells-Burr) Hinton 1 (D.Cooper), Kingsbury 1 (W.Arkell) Merriott Rovers 3 (S.Rowswell, C.Gosney, C.Lacey), Winsham Utd Res 3 (B.Garrett 3) Shepton Beau Res 2 (J.Brain, T.Crocker).*

Division Three
DRIMPTON RES 1 CHARMOUTH 5

CHARMOUTH came from behind to gain revenge for defeat at the hands of Drimpton in the reverse fixture at Barr Lane.

Kyle Pennell fired the Greens ahead for his first ever goal.

But top-scorer Dan Rendell soon restored parity and only the woodwork denied the Robins a half-time lead.

Charmouth were soon in control kicking down the slope in the second half and as the hosts struggled to cope Joe Djeebet was red carded for an attempted head butt by referee Dave Griffith.

The chances kept coming and Charmouth four of them with Rendell completing his hat-trick and Bill Ward and Ali Harvey grabbing the others.

Other scores; *Dowlish & Donyatt 1 (M.Baker) Fivehead 2 (N.Bazeley, Ad Male), Uplyme Res p Ilminster Town A p (Ilminster no team), Chard Rangers Res p Perry Street Res p, Crewkerne Rangers Res 2 Netherbury Res 2.*

Midweek news
PERRY STREET LEAGUE
Ken Hodges Cup Final

Drimpton 0 Halstock 1
Wednesday, May 4th *(at Drimpton)*

DRIMPTON failed in their attempt to win their own Ken Hodges Cup on the 30th anniversary of its inception on Wednesday evening.

Missing half-a dozen regulars, the Division One hosts actually came into the game as marginal underdogs against their opponents who look odds-on for the Division Three title.

Halstock, up the hill and looking into the sun, nonetheless attacked from the off.

Mark Whitmarsh had an early shot well saved by Greens' keeper Nathan Turnbull.

Jack Tavener also had a good chance for Halstock soon after but scuffed his shot when well placed.

Drimpton's best moment of the night came in the 11th minute when Chris Rowswell beat the offside trap and fired in shot that zipped past keeper Josh Dear but struck the foot of the post and rebounded to safety.

A busy opening quarter of an hour ended with Halstock's Ben Brister shooting narrowly over the angle after good work from Cawley.

What proved to be the winner came four minutes before the interval, and what a goal it was!

Tavener was tripped on the corner of the penalty area and up stepped Cawley to smash home a magnificent free kick that nestle in the far stanchion giving Turnbull no chance.

In the second half the game opened up - Cawley had an effort ruled out for offside.

Then Whitmarsh had three clear cut chances in a three minute spell he may wish to forget; firstly lobbed over the bar from 10 yards out when completely unmarked, then in a repeat chance seconds later lobbing tamely at Turnbull who then saved with his studs.

Halstock went close to adding a second in stoppage time with Cawley having another effort ruled out for offside.

But it mattered not and Halstock, who reformed last Summer, lifted a knock–out trophy since lifting the Jack Venn cup back in 1992-93.

Division Three; Farway Utd Reserves 2 (J.Murphy, M.Hurford) Uplyme Reserves 2 (H.Bibb, L.Hankin).

Thursday, May 5th
Division Two; *Chard Rangers 2 (K.Cavanagh, S.Curtis) Farway Utd 5 (J.Murrell, F.Souza, B.King), Chard Utd Res 1 (L.Mesquita) Merriott Rovers 6 (L.Gosney 2, L.Brayshaw, M.Tweedie, A.Cooper, C.Lacey), Merriott Dyn 1 (D.Samson) S.Petherton Res 5 (R.Thurgood 4, J.Rees).*
Division Three; *Chard Utd AS 2 (S.Ridley-Brown 2) Dowlish & Donyatt 6 (C.Tanner 2, G.Babb, H.Brown, M.Vinall, A.Payne), Ilminster Town A 1 (D.Goward) Netherbury Res 2 (A.Goodrick, W.Furzeman).*

Friday, May 6th
Arthur Gage Cup Final
DRIMPTON 2 MISTERTON 4
(at Axminster Town FC)

DEPELETED Drimpton tasted bitter cup final defeat for the second time in 48 hours.

Missy took the lead when Ash Francis collected a short corner before swinging over an incisive cross that was glanced home was Jason Rendell.

But Drimpton levelled when Barry Hayne bundled the ball home from close range in the 40th minute.

Misterton recovered from the setback with a cracking double from Mike McCormack around the hour mark,

The Greens were thrown a lifeline in the 82nd minute when a keeping howler allowed Will Brooks to make it 3-2.

Misterton soon ended any hopes of a late fight back when Jake Barry rounded off a fine team move to clinch the win and the Unity Lane side lifted the trophy for the first time in 52 years.

Monday, May 9th

Perry Street 3 (D.Collins 2, D.O'Connor) Chard Utd 0; Perry Street can win the Premier Division title with a home victory over Winsham United at Tatworth tomorrow evening.

FIXTURES

Last night (Tuesday)
Premier; Shepton Beauchamp v Barrington.
Division One; Drimpton v Pymore.
Division Two; S.Petherton Res v Merriott Rovers.
Division Three; Chard Utd All Stars v Crewkerne Rangers Res, Halstock v Fivehead; Ilminster Town A v Chard Rangers Res, Netherbury Res v Perry Street Res.

Wednesday, May 11th
Division One; Uplyme v Combe St Nicholas A.

Thursday, May 12th
Premier; Perry Street v Winsham Utd.
Division One; Drimpton v Crewkerne Rangers, Hawkchurch Utd v Ilminster Town Colts.
Division Two; Merriott Dyn v Shepton Beau Res.
Division Three; Farway Utd Res v Dowlish & Donyatt, Fivehead v Charmouth, Netherbury Res v Uplyme Res.

Friday, May 13th
Daisy Hutchings Cup Final; Misterton v Waytown Hounds. **Premier**; South Petherton v Netherbury.

Saturday, May 14th *(2.30ko unless stated)*
Premier; W & M Chinnock v Beaminster.
Division One; Drimpton v Thorncombe (2pm).
Division Two; Farway Utd Res v Thorncombe Res (2pm), Winsham Utd Res v Combe B.
Division Three; Chard Rangers Res v Charmouth, Dowlish & Donyatt v Halstock, Fivehead v Ilminster Town A, Uplyme Res v Chard Utd All Stars, Drimpton Res v Crewkerne Rangers Res (4.15), Farway Utd Res v Netherbury Res (4.15).

◆ **EARLY INJURY:** Jedd Whittington dislocated a finger keeping wicket

Disappointing start for Uplyme cricketers

UPLYME & Lyme Regis Cricket Club made a poor start in their Devon League C division campaign with the first team going down to Collumpton by 134 runs whilst the 2nd XI failed to raise a side and had to concede to Honiton.

Football, injuries, and exams led to a scratch 1st XI travelling to the newly promoted Collumpton.

Having won the toss the hosts chose to bat and made good use of a flat track. They raced to 37 before Xavier, having been sent back by Pullin was run out by Nick Dinnison.

Pullin went on to make amends by hitting a whirlwind century, the 40th of his career. He gave one chance before he had reached his 50 when a steepling catch was put down by Rhys Davies off his own bowling.

This proved to be the turning point of the game. The second wicket partnership between Pullin and Paul took the game away from the visitors. The score was on 206 when Paul went for 63 caught by Davies off James Dunford.

It looked as though 300 plus was on the cards but to their credit Uplyme did not let their heads go down.

They took the remaining eight wickets for 58 runs to keep themselves in the game. Mark Batey took a career-best 4 for 29 from six overs whilst Davies and Dunford chipped in with two wickets apiece.

A steady start in reply was essential but it was not to be. Mark Batey went first ball caught behind and was quickly followed in similar fashion by Rob Thom (5) and Dunford (0), all falling to an accurate spell from Kalaan Nessling who took 3 for 6 from five overs.

Uplyme regrouped and took the attack to the hosts with Dinnison hitting 45 before he nicked one to the keeper. He was accompanied by Michael van den Berg who had flown in from Cape Town that morning and had been transported directly from Axminster station to the game.

Despite his far from ideal preparation he managed to contribute a well made 31 before being caught on the boundary. His demise ended the Uplyme resistance and the tail could only add a further 17 runs.

The innings closed on 130 with 9 wickets down as keeper Jed Whittington was unable to bat having dislocated a finger earlier in the field.

Uplyme entertain Barnstaple & Pilston on Saturday whilst the 2nds travel to Kentisbeare. The club is hoping for a more positive response from its playing members to turn around its fortunes after the disappointments of week one.

A View From the scorebox - the local cricket scene WITH STUART BROOM

Subramanian sinks Wareham

KRISNAN Subramanian was the undoubted start of the second week of the cricket season.

He took 9-12 for Abbotsbury against Wareham, including a double wicket maiden and a hat trick. With six wickets last week, he has already claimed 15 wickets for just 26 runs.

Dorset Funeral Plan League Premier League

SHILLINGSTONE (0) 89 ALL OUT LOST TO DORCHESTER93-0 (20) BY 10 WICKETS

A SUPERB bowling display from James Dunham (5-35) backed up by new boy Josh Richardson (3-16) gave Dorchester the platform for an easy victory over shell-shocked Shillingstone.

After Dunham's opening burst that saw the hosts 40-5, only Roy Haycock (23) and later Bob Edwards (20no) managed to resist as Shillingstone were demolished for 89 all out.

Dorchester's openers Dan Belt and Nick Roe continued on from last week when they put on 144 for the first wicket, by knocking off the required runs with 16 overs to spare, with

Belt hitting 11x4s and a six in his unbeaten 68 along with Roe (15no).

Captain Simon Mitchem said: "I was very pleased at the way we approached the game. Although they elected to bat I wasn't too worried as it was very humid and I thought we would get something out of the wicket.

"James Dunham was superb up the front, as was Josh Richardson. They came out a bit gung-ho and I think our quality showed through.

"Dan Belt with a half century for the second week showed his class with the bat."

MARTINSTOWN (18) 269-5 BEAT STALBRIDGE 267-6 (7) BY 4 WICKETS

MARTINSTOWN did well to chase down a big target to record their first win of the new campaign.

Electing to field they had an early success through Chris Read (2-69), but Stuart Sweatman (47), Rob Burfitt (65) and George Coleman (42) saw the visitors on 183-3.

Some tight bowling including Tom Nicholls (2-30) had seen them fall behind the run rate, and despite some late big blows they gave Martinstown a chance.

Helped by a number of dropped catches the hosts made a steady start with Lee House (49) and Sam Kershaw (55) adding 90 for the second wicket.

However, they still needed 60 from the last ten overs before Fraser Hill (68), who hit 66 on debutlast week thumped Coleman for three successive 6s to ease the rate, before Nicholls (38no) and Ollie Gargrave (18no) saw them home in an unbeaten sixth wicket stand of 41 with three overs left.

Captain Ed Nichols was pleased with his side's all round performance particularly the return to form of opener Lee House and new boy Hill who has started with two half centuries.

County Division One

WEYMOUTH (8) 155 ALL OUT LOST TO BROADSTONE 2ND (19)184 ALL OUT BY 29 RUNS

CAPTAIN Simon Browne described this defeat to Broadstone 2nd's as a carbon copy of the previous week's win at Bere Regis.

"It was a bit of a carbon copy of last week at Bere Regis where the home captain unsure of the wicket, put us in. We got more runs that they thought they would and won, this week is was the other way around.

"We had them at 111-6 and I thought we may be able to keep them down to 150 which I think we would have got no problem, but Griffiths and Poole put on a good stand that bumped them up to 180 plus.

"Unfortunately we lost early wickets to Griffiths who bowled well that ripped the top out of the order and we were always playing catch up."

Graham Puckett (1-19) struck early, and with Dave Pearce (3-30) and all the home bowlers producing useful spells, signs were good for the Seasiders. However Griffiths (30) and Rich Poole (35) put on 65 for the seventh wicket to help Broadstone finish on 184 all out.

Weymouth's top order never got on top of Griffiths (4-18) and Lee Craven (2-24) as they slumped to 55-5 with only only Kieron Womble (25) looking comfortable.

Tom England (43) and Dave Pearce (22) gave the Seasiders hope with a stand of 48 but once that partnership was broken the tail end could not resist and they fell 29 runs short.

Browne added: "We had a better batting line-up than last week, but unfortunately we didn't get enough runs. Tom England batted well but ran out of partners."

County Division Two

BLANDFORD (5) 161-5 LOST TO CATTISTOCK (17) 162-4 BY 6 WICKETS

CATTISTOCK made it two from two with a good win over Blandford, and although they don't have a good record at chasing, they won this comfortably by eight wickets.

Main contributors to the hosts score were Luke Haines (45no) and A Mitchell (34) whilst Jon Legg (3-33) was the main threat with the ball.

Cattistock lost Martin Langford early lbw to a ball that kept low, but Legg (48) and Billy Walbridge (21) recovered the situation with a stand of 66. Steve Tucker then hit a quick fire 37 before Liam Toohill (35no) saw them home with Steve Baker (7no).

PORTLAND RED TRIANGLE (20) 315-8 BEAT ASHMORE (5) 135 ALL OUT BY 180 RUNS

THIS was an easy victory for Portland RT over a nine-man Ashmore side.

All of the top five made useful contributions with Simon Proffitt (76) and Simon Barrett (61) leading the way as they amassed 318-8.

Despite a half century from Lee Russell, Ashmore lost wickets regularly and with Gary Randell (3-26) and two wickets each for Matthew Barrett and Matt Randell, the visitors were bowled out 180 short of the target.

Captain Matt Randell said: "It's nice to get back to winning ways. It was a good team performance with everyone excelling with both bat and ball."

County Division 3

BEAMINSTER 128 (6) ALL OUT LOST TO BOURNEMOUTH 3RD (20) 291-8 BY 163 RUNS

BEAMINSTER were made to pay for inserting the visitors as an impressive Bournemouth side racked up 291-8 from their 45 overs.

Their top three batsmen all scored half centuries while the Beaminster bowlers toiled and the fielders struggled to stem the flow of boundaries.

None of the six bowlers used were able to gain any control as the batters dominated proceedings; Pete Bustin (3-60) and Ade Phillips (2-50) returning the best figures, whilst Justin Gurd took two well judged catches.

With morale low, the Beaminster batters tried in vain to chase the daunting total.

Only opener Hugh Rathbone (20) and Leo Gurd (14) got into double figures at the top of the order, and it was left to Philips (20) and Bustin (38*) to ensure some respectability with a ninth wicket partnership of 54 before Beaminster were bowled out for just 128 in the 33rd over.

DORCHESTER 2ND (20) 184-7 BEAT SHILLINGSTONE 2ND (7) 180 ALL OUT BY 3 WICKETS

DORCHESTER 2nds put last week's defeat behind them with a good win over Shillingstone 2nds.

Fielding first, Dorchester took wickets regularly through the innings with U15 player Nathan Quinn leading the way with 3-22 and both Matt Porter and captain Mike Peak both bagging a brace, whilst George Foot bowled well for his 1-25 from five overs.

Dorchester found themselves in a little trouble at 15-2, but Malcolm Stroudley (36) and Porter (28) steadied the ship before Simon Joslin took them over the line.

Slightly behind the pace, he doctored the strike to finish with an unbeaten 53 not out as he guided his side home in the penultimate over.

County Division Four

ABBOTSBURY (20) 283 ALL OUT BEAT WAREHAM 40 ALL OUT BY 243 RUNS

Swans' spin king Krishnan Subramanian captured nine wickets to help Abbotsbury romp to another victory in this one sided encounter.

◆ UNPLAYABLE: Krishnan Subramanian

Batting first Abbotsbury openers Simon Pengelly and Simon Allen (25) briskly put on 48 before Allen (25) was bowled by Sam Oxon who then claimed Steve Budd (11).

However, with Pengelly (72) in good touch and with the assistance of some indifferent bowling Abbotsbury kept the score ticking with the help of Nick Kneebone (20) and Chas Duerdoth (9)

Chris Backhouse then set about dismantling the Wareham attack, smashing 5x6s in a rapid 81. Pete Lawrence chipped in with 23 before Wareham were able to mop up the Abbotsbury tail as the home side lost their final five wickets for just 14 runs.

The target proved well beyond Wareham as the spin of Krishnan Subramanian immediately produced a double wicket maiden.

Subramanian's third over was even better, The Wareham batsmen all at sea as three more wickets fell.

Matt Truman struck some classy shots as he top scored with 17 before tickling Subramanian behind into the gloves of Budd. Further mayhem followed as a hat-trick meant a clean sweep of ten wickets looked a distinct possibility for the magical Subramanian.

But Straker's replacement Jay Lintern (1-2) turned party pooper as he induced last man John Norman into edging on to his stumps, leaving Subramanian with the magnificent figures of 9-12 from six overs.

Abbotsbury captain Simon Pengelly said: "This has been a good start to the season. Krish Subramanian, in particular, has been very impressive taking 15 wickets in the first two games."

CHARLTON DOWN (20) 39-0 BEAT SWANAGE 2ND (0) 38 ALL OUT BY 10 WICKETS

CHARLTON Down eased to a comfortable 10 wicket win over a weakened but experienced Swanage 2nds, where disciplined bowling and some breath taking catches produced a great all round display.

It was the combination of youth and experience which started the Swanage collapse.

Sixteen-year-old Dan Stevens bowled beautifully for his 2-9 from six overs which included a full length catch by Roger Frapwell at cover, followed by another well judged diving catch by Jae Miller at mid on. Matt Stevens then bowled captain Pete Barker to leave Swanage10-3.

The introduction of spin from Kim Park (3-4 -one a diving return catch), and Rich Fagence (4-16) bowling an exquisite length together with a sharp catch by wicketkeeper Rob Deadman and an instinctive breathtaking low catch at slip by Dan Steven's saw Swanage bowled out for a meagre 38 inside 20 overs.

Roger Frapwell (16*) and Jae Miller (13*) knocked off the winning runs in ten overs to ensure an emphatic victory and 20 points.

Captain Pete Tucker said: "Four excellent catches never gave Swanage a chance to recover.

Matt and Dan Stevens once again bowled tightly and this helped to put the pressure on the Swanage batsmen and it was pleasing to see Kim Park grow in confidence – he was unlucky not to have better figures than 3-4 off only three overs.

Rich Fagence, who actually prepared the wicket, reaped his rewards with four wickets and bowled an impeccable line."

County Division Five

BERE REGIS 2ND (20) 196-5 BEAT MARTINSTOWN 2ND (4) 122 ALL OUT BY 74 RUNS

ALAN Lambert produced an amazing spell of bowling to kill any hopes of Martinstown 2nds getting anything on Saturday.

Despite useful contributions from Sean Williams (20), Jack Kane (20), Nathan McNab (21) and Grant Nevin (26) they needed to accelerate to have a chance of reaching their target of 197.

But Lambert struck claiming 4-1 in 4.1 overs to leave them 74 runs short.

Earlier they had struggled as Mark Woolley hit 62 for the hosts with Chris Monteith best with 3-35.

County Division Six

WIMBORNE & COLEHILL 4TH (6) 263-7 LOST TO PORTLAND RT 2ND (6) 268-3 BY 7 WKTS

CAPTAIN Jan Davey led his side to an exciting three wicket victory at Wimborne. The hosts set a good target with J Williams (107) leading the way with Tony Morris (2-25) Triangles best bowler.

However although they lost John Walker (15) with the score on 38 in reply, Grant Lee (46) and Gareth Price (44) added 80 for the second wicket before Dave Males (46*) and Davey took them to victory with an unbeaten fourth wicket stand of 144 with seven overs to spare.

Davey's 87 not out included 12x4' and 5x6's, one of which broke a tile on the roof of a surrounding house, a feat which it is believed hasn't been achieved for a number of years by a Triangle player.

Readers Mid-Wessex League Division One (East)

CREWKERNE (2) 58 ALL OUT LOST TO BROADWINDSOR (19) 60-3 BY 7 WICKETS

BRADLEY Damen (3-7), Murray Legg (2-8) reduced their hosts to 12-5 as Broadwindsor won their second game of the season.

Crewkerne never recovered and despite 21 from Jack Male late on they were dismissed for just 58 as young Rob Meech with 2-3 from his one over and Ryan Sweetman (2-29) completed the rout.

Chris Park was the mainstay of Broadwindsor's reply with 23 as they passed the total off 16 overs.

Captain Ade Phillips was glad however he won the toss. "The wicket was very green and soft, and we bowled and fielded well. However, I wouldn't have wanted to chase a hundred as the wicket was tricky."

SYMENE (17) 94-5 BEAT BROADWAY & HORTON (4) 93-9 BY 5 WKTS

SYMENE had a comfortable win in their first game in the Mid-Wessex League.

Jon Legg got them off to a great start with a wicket in his first over without a run on the board, and wickets fell steadily with only Dylan Lowman (32) showing any resistance.

Legg finished with 4-9 from his five overs and Liam Toohill 2-17 and Kevin Pragnell 2-14 as the visitors were restricted to 93-9.

Legg (16) and Nick Skyrme made a steady start in reply but wickets began to tumble as Matt Derham (4-16) took charge, and at tea with five down and 40 runs still required, Symene decided to take things steady.

Skyrme (24*) playing in the Bailey/Boycott mode, carried his bat, and with young Luke Robertson (15*) they saw the hosts home in 27 overs.

Top batting performances: Jan Davey (Portland RT 2nd) 87*; Simon Proffitt (Portland RT) 76; Simon Pengelly (Abbotsbury) 72; Dan Belt (Dorchester) 68*; Fraser Hill (Martinstown) 68; Simon Barrett (Portland RT) 61; Simon Joslin (Dorchester 2nd) 53*.

Top bowling performances: Krishnan Subramanian (Abbotsbury) 9-12; James Dunham (Dorchester) 5-35.

Lyme Regis Bowls

Wimborne woes

THERE was disastrous start for the championship men as they were whitewashed away to Wimborne.

It looked as if Paul Pomeroy's rink was going to provide us with two points as they went into the last end two up. Unfortunately they dropped four on the 21st to lose by two shots.

The ladies managed a sneaky five points against Poole Park in the Dorset league. Nola Stephen's rink managed to pick up four shots on the last end to force the draw.

In the South Dorset league, the men got off to a flying start with an 8-2 win over Wellworthy B.

In the friendlies it was win two lose two. The loss against Bridport men was self-inflicted. Lyme failed to put out six rinks and played with just three on four of the rinks. As a result they had to forfeit 19 shots!

Dorset Mens Championship

Lyme 47 Wimborne 71; T Allman, S Pomeroy, S Chant, P Pomeroy 19-21; G Clode, R Cridge, A Weech, B Rattenbury 17-24; C Barber, P Eagles, K Hickman, P Moffitt 11-26.

South Dorset Men Div 2 - Lyme 52 Wellworthy B 45

D Read, B Smith, B Parsons, R Hobbs 19-12; M Heneghan, M Knight, A Nabarro, R Legg 19-15; R McLennan, T Payne, N Solomon, E Skeemer 14-18.

Dorset Ladies Division One - Lyme 53 Poole Park 53

A Allman, D Courtenay-Smith, S Rowe, P Weech 17-17; H Dowling, C Pomeroy, A Rattenbury, C Barber 22-19; J Moffitt, J Bishop, L Broom, N Stephens 14-17.

Lyme Regis 87 Bridport Men 93

D Read, J Moseley, C Barber 10.5-19; R McLennan, A Nabarro, N Solomon, E Skeemer 11-20; M Heneghan, J Owen, R Cridge, S Pomeroy 19-15; R Turpin, T Payne, D Meylan 21-16; T Allman, B Parsons, B Rattenbury 16.5-11; B Smith, P Stephens, D Wood 9-12.

Lyme Regis 63 Chard 74

A Foster, T Payne, H Dowling, D Wood 21-10; R McLennan, M Knight, A Nabarrow, T Allman 18-18; B Smith, P Stephens, S Wood, R Cridge 14-15; R Bishop, P Knight, A Allman, N Stephens 10-31

Lyme Regis 87 Madeira 74; A Rattenbury, J Moseley, P Weech, P Moffitt 28-15; D Courtenay-Smith, K Clissold, A Weech, B Rattenbury 20-17; N Bond, J Moffitt, A Preece, Chris Barber 16-23; S Bond, D Meylan, D Wood, Chas Barber 23-19.

Lyme Regis 112 Nomads 83; G Broom, A Allman, D Wood, Chris Barber 24-9; V Henson, A Nabarro, L Broom, Chas Barber 20-14; A Foster, H Dowling, N Benson, A Weech 17-20; A Henson, C Pomeroy, E Skeemer, P Weech 32-15; F Sell, N Solomon, J Moseley, S Pomeroy 19-22.

Skittles

LYME REGIS

MEN'S Palmer Cup Semi-Finals; Marksmen 323 Skippy's Six 309, No Hopers 342 Flyers 342 (Draw - No Hopers won play-off). Final - Wednesday June 1st – venue tbc.

Men's Bob Sweetland Cup Semi-Finals; No Hopers 361 Roadrunners 338, Anthill Mob 326 Trappers 279. Final - Wednesday, May 25th venue tbc.

Upcoming Fixtures (Monday, May 16th) Ladies **Doug Clark Cup Final** Wootton Wobblers v Just Us (at Ship Inn)

BRIDPORT

CUP fixtures for week beginning Monday, May 16th;

Portman Cup Final

Tuesday, May 17th

BRIDPORT FC — Nelson Nobblers or Originals v L.H.S. (20/6) or Aussies Lot (6/19)

Knock Out Cup Final

Wednesday, May 18th

Lord Nelson — Shipfaced v Originals

Presentation Night on Friday, May 20th at Freshwater with dancing to Dukes Disco, tickets are on sale at the Lord Nelson priced at £4.

Division A	Pd	Pts
Wanderers	22	36
Nelson Nobblers	21	30
Shipfaced	21	30
Rejects	22	26
Denhay	22	20
Lively Lads	22	20
Masters	21	18
Rough Eight	22	18
Slingers	22	18
Rockets	21	16
Originals	22	14
Outsiders	22	14

Division B	Pd	Pts
U know the Blokes	19	34
Broadoak	20	28
Dingbats	19	25
Miss the Ball	20	22
7" Clock	20	19
Castouts	20	18
Countrymen	19	16
The Dingles	20	16
Bangers	19	14
Gerryatrics	20	12
NBC	20	12

Division C	Pd	Pts
Aussies Lot	22	30
LHS	22	30
Survivors	21	28
Groundhogs	20	22
Bulldogs	20	20
Yo Yo's	22	20
Pioneers	20	18
Unknowns	19	18
Whisky Chasers	22	18
Strawpeedoes	21	16
Pinseekers	21	10

Division D	Pd	Pts
Brandy Snaps	22	36
AFAR	21	33
Stingers	21	33
Alcoholics	21	26
Alleycats	22	26
Featherbeds	21	26
Let em Roll	22	26
Hidden Talent	21	15
Offcuts	22	14
Pinbashers	22	9
Tiger Lilies	21	8
Bad Girls	22	6

Highest Individual League Score - 92 J Symes (The Dingles).

Highest Lady Individual League Score — 88 S Yeatman (Brandy Snaps).

Lyme Regis Sailing

Two firsts for Tylers

RACES 6,7,8 of the Late Spring series were sailed on Sunday in superb conditions with a steady SE wind, force 3/4, shifting by only five degrees during the four hours spent on the water.

'White horses' were thrown up covering the course as the dropping tide opposed the onshore wind.

Race officer Tony Fastnedge was able to set a windward leg of two thirds of a mile giving good scope for tactics.

Race Six gave the faster boats an advantage on the quick first lap which they were able to maintain even though the wind dropped to make their third round slower than the higher handicap (slower) boats, limited to two laps, experienced for their final round.

Results were computed on average lap times, with the faster boats still managing to take the first three places.

Races Seven and Eight were held over the sausage/triangle pattern of Olympic courses, giving increased spinnaker- carrying opportunities.

These races were timed for nearer 40 minutes each and most sailors completed all three, though several of the single-handed helms in their Lasers found over three hours in total demanding and retired before the third.

Jon Turner held first place over two visiting Merlins, achieving second, third and first places to leave him first equal overall with Allan and Chrissey Tyler, two firsts and a fourth today, both on seven points after the five races sailed.

Race 6; 1st Allan & Chrissey Tyler (Fireball), 2nd Jon Turner & Richard Parsloe (Merlin), 3rd Dave Guthrie (Phantom). **Race 7**; 1st Allan & Chrissey Tyler (Fireball), 2nd Jon Turner & Richard Parsloe (Merlin), 3rd Chris & Russell Thorne (Fireball). **Race 8**; 1st Jon Turner & Richard Parsloe (Melin), 2nd Chris & Russell Thorne (Fireball) 3rd Allan & Chrissey Tyler (Fireball).

Bridport Bowls

Pugilists' knock-out blow!

THE Pugilists comprising Keith Jenkins, Pete Cowburn & Eric White made a sensational start in the **Summer Evening Indoor League** pummelling the Wrestlers into submission 25-2.

Caroline and Derek Earwood & Margaret Pestelle's Gymnasts also made a winning start over the Divers 11-8, whilst the Fencers, Ann Harris, Roy Gil & David Jenkins were more accurate than the Archers, winning 18-9.

Chris Thorne, Liz Walker & Ivor Parker's Swimmers triumphed 15-11 over the Decathletes, and Sylvia and Mike Fletcher & Tony Bartlett's Hurdlers also started with a 14-10 win over the Equestrians.

The Cyclists of Lyn and Peter Sandall & Andy Marsh picked up a two count on the final end to draw with Brian Suffling and Steven & Martin Grier's Rowers 11-11.

In the **Morning League,** Penny and Robin Pither & Keith Jenkins's Foxes ripped the Magpies apart 20-6 to lead after week one.

Val Dodd, Huw Rees & Magaret Pestelle's Toffees finished 1, 2, 2, 4 to beat the Hammers 14-8, whilst Bernard Waterman, Brian Baker & Martin Wilton's Gunners having opened with counts of 5, 1, 2 finally beat the Potters 14-7.

There were also opening day wins for Maureen Hicks, Phil Tattershall & Phil Hedges' Pensioners over the Cherries 16-12, and Peter Hunt, Reg Dodd & Tony Harrison's Red Devils 11-8 over the Canaries.

Ladies win but miss clean sweep

THE Bridport outdoor Ladies A team looked on course for all ten points when leading 60-51 with two end remaining, but had to settle for six and a narrow 61-60 win over BROADSTONE.

Scores; Francis Hewett, Sheila Jones, Alison Tibble, Margaret Clapp 23–18; Laura Taylor, Gill Hunt, Barbara Iverson, Pat Cornick 21-22: Pamela Daters, Marion Carter, Rosemary Brooks, Melodie Watts 17-20.

The B team found it hard going at GREENHILL gaining just two points. Jean Seadon, Marion Tocher, Dinah Wilson & Delphine Street recorded a tight 21–20 win.

Margaret Strange, Pam Gray, Pauline Newitt & Thelma Pratt had a tough game 10–27, whilst Liz Newman, Janet Bird, Mary Eastman & Janet Tattershall lost 18–24 having been down 5–17 at 13 ends.

Men's SDL A team got off to a good start at home to PORTLAND VIC, winning overall 66-59. Craig Bosher, David Eastman, Derek Hoskins & Brian Rumble were 21–7 up at the 14th end before Portland rallied for a few ends, but the home team eventually won 27–15. Chris Thorne, Dave Robbins, Keith Brooks & Chris Taylor won 21–16, whilst Ben Jones, John Carter, Tom Tocher, Ben Jones & Brian Connisbee were 19–11 at 11 ends then dropped a six and had to settle for a 23-23 draw 23 -23 and nine points.

The C team lost 52-64 to GREENHILL B and only picked up two points. Joe Block, George Strange, Robert Herbert & Phillip Wilson led 9-8 up but then fell away to lose 13-23. Sam Dunn, Neil Kennedy, Peter Scott & Dave Smith led all to way to win 20–16. Brian Stone, D.Aylott, John Aylott, & Steve Bartlett did well up to the 18th end, but lost 19–25.

In the men's friendly against LYME REGIS, Bridport won 93-87. Top rink: Sam Dunn, David Aylott, Allen Bird & Tom Tocher

The friendly at AXMINSTER saw just one of the four rinks; Peter Billett, George Strange, Laura Taylor & Ian Newitt managing a win.

Bridport Gig Rowing Club Club

Heads held high at World champs

BRIDPORT gig rowing club took over 40 rowers and supporters to the Isles of Scilly for the recent World Pilot Gig Championships.

Thousands of rowers took part in the largest event in the championship's 27-year history.

Crews from countries including the UK, Bermuda, Holland and the USA took part this year making for over 150 different crews. Friday the 29th saw the start of the world championship races; two ladies' veteran crews, a men's vets crew and a men's super vets crew from Bridport gig club took to the water to race the 1.8 mile race from St Agnes to St Marys quay.

Battling over 70 rival boats and challenging sea conditions from the large Atlantic swell, the ladies vets A crew in Dagger finished 9th in the world – an amazing result after the shock of being seeded amongst some of the world's top crews; based on last year's results.

The ladies vets B crew in Blaez finished 39th; another considerable improvement on last year's result.

The men's veterans' crew finished in 25th place in Blaez, and Bridport men's super-vets crew secured 11th place in Dagger.

The main races of the weekend started on Saturday morning, with the long race from St Agnes to St. Mary's Quay, followed by three shorter heats from Nut Rock to St Mary's Quay.

The Saturday morning saw Bridport ladies A, B, and C crews tackle the long race with over 140 boats on a start line.

The ladies A had a very strong race, rowing in Dagger, finishing in the top 40 boats, resulting in a place in group C (groups A-L).

The ladies B crew also had a positive race, rowing in Blaez, and secured a place in group H.

Bridport's Ladies C crew, nicknamed 'Bridregis', consisted of three Bridport ladies, Bridport cox Mark Vanstone and three ladies from Lyme Regis gig club. Rowing in 'Rebel' kindly loaned by Lyme, began their heats in group G.

In the men's long race Bridport's A crew secured a place in group C.

The mens B finished the race within the top 100, beginning the next heat in group G. The Saturday afternoon and Sunday morning heats provided some challenging conditions with large swells and gusty winds.

The Ladies B crew remained in group C across the heats, finishing 9th in their final race and 94th overall.

The Ladies C crew did drop down a group but had a good final race coming 108th out of the 144.

The Ladies A also dropped down into group D, although they flew over the line in the final winning the group. This meant a place on the podium for their victory and finishing 37th in the world.

Rounding up the championships were the men's finals, where the world champions are decided, the mens B came in at 94th place after racing the final in group H.

The men's A in Dagger maintained their place in group C throughout finishing the championships in 36th position.

Men's world champions were Falmouth, and ladies winners were Caradon.

All Bridport crews improved considerably on last year's results.

The next regatta is hosted by Weymouth later this month.

◆ **FLYING THE FLAG:** Mens A crew in Dagger: (left to right) Stephen Goodman, Lewis Webster,Tom Woodhouse, Luke Larder, Kevin Batchelor, Ash Raison and cox Rachel Hamblett. *Photo by TESSA HUXTER*

Bridport & West Dorset Golf

WITH PETER CROWTER

Two podium finishes for ace Avril

Men's Section

SUNDAY'S competition for the men was a three-man team Stableford Bowmaker – the first six holes one score to count, the second six holes two scores to count and the last six holes three scores to count.

Eighteen teams took part and the winning team was; Geoff Joy(19), Nigel Challis(18) & Terry Cleal(20) with 79 points. Second, with 78 were Richard Parry(18), Andrew Blackmore(18) & Roger Galpin(16). Third with 76 were Martin Drennan(12), Peter Marshall(9) & Vince Adams(7).

Veterans Section; The veterans Thursday competition was a self-entry, single division Stableford.

Fifty players took part but, despite the very pleasant conditions there were no spectacular scores, maybe because of the difficulty of keeping the balls on the fairly firm greens?

Richard Parry (36 points) emerged as he winner with Colin Hore one point behind with a close procession following him.

Results: 1st Richard Parry(19) 36 points, 2nd Colin Hore(16) 35, 3rd Doug Howells(19) 34, 4th (acb) Richard Fox(19) 33, 5th (acb) Brian Fearon (13) 33. Parry received a one shot handicap reduction.

In the afternoon there was a home match versus Long Sutton and this resulted in a convincing 5½-½.win for Bridport.

Mixed Section; There was a Stableford competition on Bank Holiday Monday open to all members.

There were 16 entrants and the winner was Avril Brown(35) with 38 points. Second was Geoff Hunt(25) scoring 35 and in third place after count-back was Michael A Thompson(13) with 34.

Twelve men entered the Midweek Stableford and the winner was Ted Stordy(12) scoring 33 points. Dave Howat (16) came second with 32 and in third place was Larwence Turner(22) with 31.

Ladies' Section *by Di Neal*

THE ladies played the Par Cup on Saturday and Tuesday.

This is a very odd game, and certainly not the favourite of most players.

The weather on Tuesday was pleasant and everyone enjoyed watching the ball run along dry fairways. The winner was Julie Oliver (-1) and the runner up Avril Brown (-3).

The first round of the County Humphries Bowl Competition against WAREHAM GC resulted in a home win for Bridport with Carole Brown, Julie Oliver and Nicky Stone winning all won their matches.

A friendly played against AXE CLIFF finished in draw.

Bridport FC

WITH STUART BROOM

Exasperating season ends on high note

AFTER a season Bridport Football Club will want to forget, both the first team and reseves completed their fixtures on Saturday.

The first team who have had goalkeeping problems in recent weeks, travelled to Brislington again without a regular keeper and Ryan Hayter once again deputising.

The Bees took the lead on 35 minutes when Warren Byerley pounced after Mark Salter's header had struck the upright. Byerley picked up the rebound and from the edge of the penalty area fired the ball into the top corner of the net.

Tom Richardson might have doubled the lead before the break from Chris Clarke's raking pass, but his shot was saved.

Bridport continued to create chances, but Brislington equalised in the 75th minute, taking advantage of a mistake in the Bees defence.

With seven minutes left Hayter was injured and had to leave the field which meant Mark Carter who has been in charge since Trevor Senior's departure was required to play out the last few minutes.

Meanwhile Bridport Reserves finished in style beating Parley Sports 5-1 at St Mary's. Two days earlier they had failed to avenge their heartbreaking defeat in the Dorset Senior Trophy by Merley Cobham Sports, when they went down to a penalty three minutes from time.

However on Saturday they went out in fine style as they trounced Parley with three 16-year-olds; Tom Bearwish, Jake Rowland and Tom Hyde; products of the youth team, all scoring together with experienced heads Tristan Gale and Simon Gale.

Lyme Golf

No looking back for Retallack

THERE were some exceptional scores in the May Medal, none more so than by Division One winner David Retallack, whose nett 67 included a blistering back nine nett 31.

In second place was Luke de Pasquale who needed countback to beat Keith Gibson into 3rd place, but both scored so well to finish 2 under for the round.

Division Two winner Giles Leech scorched the back 9 with a nett 31, to finish with a nett 68, ahead of Tom Barclay, nett 70 and Mark Lewis, 71.

Rosemary Shepherd starred with a brilliant below par round of nett 70, mastering the tricky par 3s, in the Ladies May Medal, to comfortably win Division One from Jenny Scott, nett 73, and Judith Williams, 74.

Division 2 belonged to Mary Minter with a nett 73 with Rosemary Dare 75 in 2nd and Lizzie Linnert 3rd with 78.

On Saturday, the sun shone as all sections turned out for a club day, with teams of four playing in a Texas scramble. The winning team scored an incredible nett 56.

Bridport Darts

Division One - final	Pld	Pts
Rob's Robbers	20	35
BSC	20	32
Rubber Johns	20	29
Fleet Street Five	20	27
Hands of Time	20	23
Nomads	20	22
Nags Head A	20	14
It's in the Middle	20	14
Noth'n But Treble	20	9
Odds or Us	20	8
Young Darters	20	7

Ladies Div 1 final	Pld	Pts
Anchor Aces	28	48
Tender Trap	28	42
Arrows Awry	28	39
Clocking On	28	26
Sue's Rebels	28	26
Queen Bees	28	23
Against the Odds	28	17
Castaways	28	3

Ladies Division 2	Pld	Pts
Queenies OTC	31	50
Up and Downers	31	41
Next Door	31	36
Wildcats	31	29
Good Mates	32	29
Wrong Bed	31	28
Anchors Aweigh	31	27
Charlie's Angels	31	23
Tiger Stripes	31	17

180s: D1 - T.Prowse x9, LD1 - S.Chick & S.James both x2, LD2 - T.Wayland x1.

West Dorset Sea Angling Club

In form Parkman wins junior match by huge margin

JACK Parkman won the latest **Junior fishing match**, after catching more than double his nearest competitor Kai Kenway, although much closer on legal weight. Ewan Chambers who won the last match was just behind in third.

The competition which attracted 12 juniors saw two of the additional four guests catch their first ever fish. The weather on east pier West Bay was sunny with a chilly Northwesterly three wind and the sea was flat calm and quite clear. Species caught on the day were; flounder, wrasse, shanny and rockling.

1st: Jack Parkman 594g (332g Legal weight), 2nd: Kai Kenway 287g Legal Weight, 3rd: Ewan Chambers 291g (264g Legal weight), Heaviest Flatfish: Kai Kenway 287g flounder, Heaviest Round Fish: Jack Parkman 251 shore rockling, Heaviest Weever: None caught, prize rolls over, Heaviest fish in last half hour: Ewan Chambers 71g.

Heaviest Rockling: Jack Parkman 251g, Best Guest: Fin Davies 150g, Smallest Fish: James Lawrence 14g shanny, Last Fish: Ewan Chambers 27g shanny, Wooden Spoon: Eden Lynham, Sponsors: Watchouse Cafe, Kay Guppy, Richard "Tiny" Daw, Gus Parkman, Tim Fisher, Andrew Fowler & Sally Lawrence.

IF YOU fish the piers at West Bay you may have noticed new line bins (*see photo attached of junior Kadie Lynham using the bin*). These are for waste fishing line and hooks; the hooks will be disposed of properly and the line recycled.

Please do not put any other rubbish in them because if you do the line cannot be sent for recycling.

The volunteer who empties them has so far found general rubbish and dog waste bags in them this is not nice for him, so please, only hooks and line.

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◆ **IN FORM:** Bridport Barracudas swam at the Graded Meet on Saturday in Dorchester. The meet was held by West Dorset Swimming Club and was targeted at nine to 12-year-old swimmers at a novice level who may not have had the chance to swim at an Open Meet or County Gala. The Barracudas did not disappoint and 36 Personal Bests were achieved out of 40 swims picking up nine gold medals, two silvers and a Bronze medal along the way. Congratulations go to Kirron Wheeler who won Top nine-year-old year boy and Most Improved Boy Medley Swimmer.

Cup win for Bridport U8s

◆ **WINNERS:** Bridport Youth FC U8s who recently won the Dorchester Town Annual six-a-Side Tournament beating Bere Regis in the final.

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